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## CLOUDBURST DOES TERRIBLE DAMAGE

150 LIVES BELIEVED LOST AND PROPERTY DESTROYED IN WEST VIRGINIA.

## GOVERNOR RUSHES AID

Special Train Sent To Scene of Disaster to Relieve Situation—Communication Cut.

Charleston, W. Va., Aug. 9.—A cloudburst swept the Cabin Creek and Coal River valleys to-day, spreading devastation throughout the district. Advice to-night were meager, owing to interrupted wire and rail communication, but various reports estimated the loss of life at from eleven to 150 persons. The property damage was placed at not less than \$1,000,000. Two companies of the Second Regiment, West Virginia National Guard, encamped at Kanawha City, near here, were to-night ordered to the flood zone with tents and supplies by Gov. H. D. Hatfield. Relief trains are being made up here and will depart within a few hours. Local officials of the Virginian Power Company asserted the loss of life would reach 150.

### Eleven Bodies Recovered.

Eleven bodies have so far been recovered, three at Cabin Creek Junction and eight at Dry Branch. Scores of houses have been swept down the two streams, which, swollen by the heavy rains, overflowed their banks, carrying everything before them.

More than thirty houses were counted passing one point in Cabin Creek to-day. Many of the houses crashed into the piers of the Chesapeake & Ohio railroad bridge which had been earlier washed out, and were demolished. Late to-day a boy was seen on top of one of the houses. An effort to rescue him failed and he disappeared in the water. A large bridge on the line of the Charleston Interurban Railroad Company was washed away near Cabin Creek Junction.

### Trains Marooned.

The damage to railroads, coal, oil and gas properties throughout the district is especially heavy. Practically every coal operation as well as the plant and lines of the Virginian Power Company are idle. Two passenger trains, one of which is a Sunday School excursion train carrying 300 persons are marooned near St. Albans and efforts to reach them have failed.

Gov. Hatfield hurriedly returned to-night from Huntington, where he had gone to attend the Republican State convention to-morrow and will take charge of the relief work.

Indescribable conditions exist on Cabin Creek, at the mouth of which forty or fifty ruined houses have been dashed to pieces. Looting had begun among the ruins early in the evening. Special agents of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad were endeavoring to handle the situation, which was constantly becoming more difficult.

### Owensboro Boy Given a Medal.

Owensboro, Ky., Aug. 8.—Henry Sparks, the Owensboro boy, who received a medal and a check for \$1,000 from the Carnegie Hero Commission for his heroism in risking his life to save the life of Ella Gipo, who was suffocating in a gasoline tank, April 2, 1914, and who has gone into the flour milling business in Houndup, Mont., with the thousand dollars, is in a good way to be further honored, as the Owensboro person familiar with his act have received inquiries from the George E. McNeill medal committee of the International Association of Casualty and Security Underwriters, which association is considering the feat with a view to rewarding the young man further for his bravery.

### JUDGE HANBERRY CLAIMED BY DEATH

Hopkinsville, Ky., Aug. 7.—The funeral of Judge J. T. Hanberry, who died last night after an illness of several months of a cancerous affection which had permeated his entire system, will be held tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Baptist church and interment will be in Riv-

erside cemetery. The Rev. C. M. Thompson, pastor of the church, will conduct the services.

Judge Hanberry's death, while not unexpected, has saddened this entire community in which he was such an important personage. He was forty-nine years of age and was born and reared here. After being admitted to the bar and practicing law for a few years, he served as City Attorney and then Police Judge. Last year he was elected for the second time as Judge of the Third Judicial district. As a Judge he had established a splendid record, many of the cases tried before him being of unusual import.

He was also in demand as special Judge. He was forced to quit the bench about four months ago on account of the increasing gravity of his condition. He was a devoted member of the Baptist church and especially interested in Sunday School work.

## HERT IS PLACED IN CHARGE AT CHICAGO

KENTUCKY REPUBLICANS GET SPLENDID RECOGNITION IN APPOINTMENT.

Chicago, Aug. 8.—A. T. Hert, Kentucky's member of the Republican National Committee, will be manager of the Western branch of the Hughes campaign with headquarters in Chicago. It was announced last night by National Chairman William R. Wilcox, after he had consulted party leaders of the Central States.

In making the appointment Chairman Wilcox gave out a statement which said in part:

"Mr. Hert will have associated with him at headquarters other members of the committee.

"Mr. Frank H. Hitchcock has been prominently named in connection with this work, but some days ago he informed me that he was not only not a candidate, but could not under any circumstances give the time necessary for the work at the Western headquarters. Mr. Hitchcock, however, has assured me of his willingness and desire to assist in every possible way in the work of the campaign.

"We recognize the fact that the work to be done here is of a very important nature and accordingly the organization at these headquarters will be perfected at once and the campaign vigorously pushed."

### ALL STRIKES ON SURFACE LINES OF NEW YORK END

New York, Aug. 8.—All strikes on the surface lines of Greater New York were ended to-night when officials of the New York and Queens County railway, the Richmond Light & Railway Company, operating cars on Staten Island, and the Second Avenue Railroad Company in New York agreed to accept the same terms of settlement ratified yesterday by the New York Railways Company and the Third Avenue Railway Company. Mayor Mitchell and the Public Service Commissioners brought about the agreement.

In New York City it was said virtually normal service was established during the day on the lines of the New York Railways Company and the Third Avenue Railway Company.

### NO DUEL; NEWSPAPER MEN SUBMIT TO ARBITRATION

Birmingham, Ala., Aug. 7.—Members of the Birmingham Rotary Club have persuaded E. W. Barrett, editor of the Age-Herald, and Victor H. Hanson, publisher of the News, to submit to arbitration personal differences which earlier had led to issuance by the Commissioner of Public Safety of warrants for their arrest on the charge that they intended to fight a duel.

The commissioner refused the club's request to withdraw the warrants against Barrett and Hanson, or others issued against officers of the Age-Herald charging criminal libel for the publication of telegrams exchanged between the rival editors.

### For Sale.

51 acres of farming land for sale. Apply to L. C. BROWN, McHenry, Ky. Special Deputy Banking Com-

## A TERRIBLE TWO-YEAR-OLD.



—DeMar in Philadelphia Record.

## HASWELL TO RUN AGAINST JOHNSON

HARDINBURG MAN WINS REPUBLICAN NOMINATION FOR CONGRESS.

## WILL MAKE HARD FIGHT TO NAME ARBITRATORS

Nominee Promises Thorough Canvass In Effort To Bring Victory This Fall.

Reports from over the district verify the early news that John P. Haswell, Jr., of Hardinsburg, is winner over Tom Spurrier, of Caneyville, his most formidable opponent, for the Republican nomination for Congress, by about 737 votes. Mr. Haswell is already planning the most vigorous campaign ever waged in the Fourth District and he believes the party's chances for victory here this fall are the brightest in years.

Ohio County Goes For Spurrier. Tom Spurrier carried Ohio county in the Congressional race by 133 plurality over Haswell. Eight hundred and eighty-three votes were polled in the county, Haswell and Spurrier getting practically all of the vote cast.

Mr. Johnson having no opposition for the Democratic nomination, only Republicans took part in the primary Saturday. Two or three Democratic election officers asked to be relieved from serving, saying that they didn't care to take part in the other fellow's fight.

### Haswell Well Known.

Mr. Haswell is well known in the Fourth District. He has taken an active part in politics for many years, is a forceful speaker and a good mixer. His ability as an attorney is recognized all over the State and several times he has been called upon to serve as Circuit Judge in various counties. In that capacity he has tried important cases in a manner that brought forth favorable comment.

### OHIO COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION MEETS

The Ohio County Board of Education met with Supt. Shults, J. M. Hoover, T. J. Brooks, J. L. Carter, H. O. Autry, E. G. Austin and A. B. Tichenor present, met at the office of Superintendent Shults on last Monday for the transaction of miscellaneous business. Among other things done the Board made and closed contracts with the Boards of Education of Hartford, Beaver Dam, Fordville and Whitesville, Daviess county, for the entrance in each of said schools of Ohio County High School students.

### WANTED.

Mixed Rags, \$1.00 per 100 lbs.; Mixed Iron, 20c per 100 lbs.; Mixed Paper, 20c per 100 lbs. Copper, Brass, Zinc and Rubber at market price. Corn at 85c bushel. D. L. D. SANDEFUR, Beaver Dam, Ky.

## ACCEPT PROPOSAL FOR COMMISSION

CARRANZA'S SOLUTION OF DISPUTES FORMALLY APPROVED BY U. S.

## WILL MAKE HARD FIGHT TO NAME ARBITRATORS

Justice Brandeis And Secretary Lane Will Be Two of The Three Members.

Washington, Aug. 9.—Formal announcement was made to-day by Acting Secretary Polk of the acceptance of Gen. Carranza's proposal for a joint international commission to seek a solution of border disputes and to discuss other matters which may help clarify relations between the United States and Mexico. Only the time and place for the conference remain to be decided.

Secretary Lane, of the Interior Department, will head the American commission, supported by Associate Justice Louis D. Brandeis, of the Supreme Court, and a third commissioner whose name will be announced later. A telegram asking the third man to serve was sent to-day by President Wilson and his name will not be disclosed until his acceptance is received.

The Mexican commissioners were named some days ago, Luis Cabrera, Minister of Finance in the Carranza Government, heading the delegation. This made necessary the appointment of a member of President Wilson's cabinet in the American membership.

To-day's announcement followed a brief conference between Mr. Polk and Eliseo Arredondo, Carranza's Ambassador Designate. Final assurance was given by Mr. Arredondo that Gen. Carranza was in complete accord with suggestions of the Washington Government that the discussion of the commissioners be given the broadest possible scope. The Ambassador said that his Government regarded its recent note as a full answer and acceptance of Secretary Polk's suggestions that the scope be broadened.

As it begins its task the commission will be required first to reach some conclusion on the specific points outlined by Gen. Carranza in his original proposal. The first subject treated under this view would be the withdrawal of American troops from Mexico, to be followed by negotiation of a protocol covering future military operations along the border. Since these two points are closely interwoven it is believed the commission will couple them together in whatever recommendation it has to make.

State Department officials said it was not necessary for all matters to be worked out before recommendations could be submitted for ratification. On the other hand it was regarded as possible that each agreement reached by the commission

would be reported and acted upon by the two Governments separately. The conclusions of the commission will be in no way binding upon either Government until both have ratified and suggested plan.

### PHYSICAL EXAMINATION OF GUARDSMEN STARTED

El Paso, Tex., Aug. 8.—The physical examination of National Guard troops encamped here began to-day by regular officers from the Medical Corps under strict army standard, and is causing considerable apprehension among guard officers, including several of high rank.

These troops were rushed to the border during the Mexican crisis without proper examination. The enlisted men who have less to lose if rejected than the officers do not express the same degree of uneasiness over the outcome. Eyesight tests seem to be particularly feared.

## BELGIAN SOLDIER WANTS REPUBLICAN

EDITOR RECEIVES CARD FROM LONELY MAN WOUNDED IN THE TRENCHES.

The Republican has received the following communication written on a Correspondence Militaire (French Military Correspondence) card from one who calls himself a "lonely Belgian soldier" now in the military hospital in which he asks that we send him some copies of the paper to read during his leisure hours. The card is well written and interesting. Anyone who cares to do so may send the original by calling at the editorial rooms. Thinking that some of our readers might like to send the soldier of America's little friend some magazines or other reading matter we give the address below.

Belgian Hospital, July 8, 1916.—Hartford Republican, Hartford, Ky. Dear Sir Editor:—Having learned your address through a friend of mine I avail myself to request you herewith for a small favor. I am a lonely Belgian soldier, liking very much the American newspapers and having resided a short time in the States. As a philologist (M. S. P.) I take interest in world-wide press comments and I should be very obliged and grateful to you if I could obtain, either through the kindness of some of your readers or otherwise by your administration, some copies of your valuable newspaper to peruse these in my spare time. Beg your apologies for my torchless writing and hope to receive your favorable news, I remain dear sir, with warmest anticipated thanks and highest regards.

Yours respectfully,  
M. LAPEAU, (M. S. P.)  
35 Hospital Belgo,  
Avanches, (M.)  
France, Europe.

### PRESIDENT'S DAUGHTER AND ACTRESS INJURED

Croton, N. Y., Aug. 8.—Miss Margaret Wilson, eldest daughter of the President, and Blanche Bates (Mrs. George Creel), the actress, were thrown from a carriage in a runaway accident Sunday and were bruised severely. It was learned yesterday. The horse bolted when a shaft broke. Miss Wilson had recovered sufficiently Monday to return to Washington.

### GIRL, 14, REFUSES AND MAN, 60, KILLS BOTH

Selma, Ala., Aug. 8.—Because a 14-year-old girl, Lelta Patrick, 60 years old, shot and killed both the girl and himself at her home near Lamson, Ala., according to advices reaching here to-night. Within a few hours his body had been buried in a rough pine box by infuriated neighbors. Davis was a dentist and was reported to have a wife and children in Birmingham.

A deputy sheriff sent to investigate reported that Davis had written a letter to the girl's father, W. T. Patrick, a prosperous farmer, telling of his infatuation, but the parents objected to his attentions on account of the difference in age. He went to the Patrick home with a shotgun and was met at the door by the girl. He shot her twice, then ran a few hundred feet and killed himself.

## MINERS VOTE TO GO BACK TO WORK

JOY REIGNS IN HOMES OF MINERS OF THE WESTERN KENTUCKY DISTRICT.

## MEET AT CENTRAL CITY

Eighteen Vote to Continue Strike While Twenty-one Favor Plan of Arbitration.

Central City, Ky., Aug. 9.—Phonographs are playing and lights are burning brightly tonight in the humble homes of Western Kentucky miners, because the strike which has emptied larders and closed commissaries for the past four months has come to an end. Six thousand men will return to work, sobered by suffering, but proud that their union has been maintained.

In a convention held at Central City today duly accredited delegates from thirty-nine local unions in District 23, United Mine Workers of America, voted to end the strike. The majority was 21 to 18. The majority voted to return to work on a warrant compromise proposition submitted by Western Kentucky coal operators. The proposition grants the old wage scale and working conditions, with certain exceptions, which are to be arbitrated within thirty days. The operators will appoint two arbitrators and the miners two. If these four men cannot agree they will select a fifth man, whose decision will be final. The points to be arbitrated are the price for a short wall machine and the pay for dead work about the mine. The men agree to work as buddies in three rooms, selecting their own partners. The operators agree not to crowd the mines in orders to enlarge store business and rent receipts.

Both operators and miners are relieved that the strike is over, and some whistles are expected to sound the glad tidings of work tomorrow morning. Many fall orders have been received and the mines will run full capacity for some time. This will bring prosperity to a district which has suffered the pangs of depression for several months.

Fate has turned the tables on the miners of Central City, who have been enjoying six-day runs, while their comrades in adjoining towns have done nothing. The Central City tipple is in ruins and cannot be rebuilt for sixty days. In the meantime outside mines will be resumed and enjoy full time.

### FORTY-SIX NAMES ADDED TO KY. PENSION LIST

Frankfort, Ky., Aug. 9.—Forty-six names have been added to the Confederate pension list by Captain W. J. Stone, commissioner of pensions. Nearly all of the forty-six are widows of soldiers who have died since the pension law was enacted.

There are now 2,910 names on the pension list. There have been 3,582 pensions granted under the pension law, but a number of the pensioners have died.

### Auto Calls For Help.

The recent starting of an automobile at an exhibition of motor cars by wireless suggested to an inventor a new application of the wireless principle. The instrument includes the installation of a wireless sending apparatus, with a radius of only a few hundred yards, and a small receiving instrument, such as are used now without the need of aerial wires. When the owner of the car leaves it unprotected for a time he switches on the "wireless" and walks away. And interference with the ignition system at once "wireless" to the owner, who carries the receiving instrument in his pocket. The buzzing of his receiver sends him scurrying to his car.—Popular Science Monthly.

Loans wanted in Muhlenberg, McLean, Daviess, Webster, Butler and Ohio counties on good first-class real estate for 5 years.

W. H. PARKS, Hartford, Ky.



## FARM LOAN ACT; HOW IT OPERATES

ASSOCIATIONS OF 20 OR MORE  
MUST BE ORGANIZED TO BOR-  
ROW \$20,000.

### TO ORGANIZE 12 BANKS

Must Subscribe for Stock in the Bank  
To Extent of Five Per Cent of  
Its Loan.

The principal features of the Federal Farm Loan Act, or "Rural Credits Law," now operative, provides for two systems; one operating through regional land banks and the other operating through joint stock banks. Both systems will be under the supervision of the Federal Farm Loan Board of the Treasury Department composed of the Secretary of the Treasury and four members appointed by the President.

The Federal land bank system provides for Federal land banks which shall make loans for the first twelve months exclusively through local national farm loan associations composed of borrowers. These associations must be shareholders in the banks and the borrowers must be shareholders in the associations, and will thus share in the profits. The money for the loans is to come from the capital of the banks and from bonds issued by them based on farm mortgages. The maximum rate is 6 per cent.

There will be twelve farm loan districts, each containing a land bank with a minimum capital stock of \$750,000, whose stock shall be open to public subscriptions for thirty days. All stock not taken by the public will be taken by the Federal government, which shall receive no dividends on its stock. The land banks will make loans through the local loan associations, and where no loan association is formed, the Federal farm loan board will make loans through approved agents.

An association may be formed by ten or more persons who own and cultivate land in one locality, provided the aggregate of the loans desired is not less than \$20,000. Each member of an association must subscribe for stock to the extent of 5 per cent of his loan. The association holds this stock as security for his loan in addition to a mortgage, and when the association borrows from the land bank it must subscribe for stock in the bank to the extent of 5 per cent of its loan. In this way the stock bought by the Federal government when the twelve banks are organized will be absorbed by the public. If a borrower has no money to subscribe for the stock, he can include in his loan a sum sufficient to pay for it. Provision for an appraisal of land and an investigation of the character of the borrower is made.

#### How Money May Be Used.

The act specifically defines the purpose for which loans may be obtained. These are:

"(a) To provide for the purchase of land for agricultural uses.

"(b) To provide for the purchase of equipment, fertilizers and live-stock necessary for the proper and reasonable operation of the mortgaged farm; the term 'equipment' to be defined by the Federal Farm Loan Board.

"(c) To provide buildings and for the improvement of farm lands; the term 'improvement' to be defined by the Federal Farm Loan Board.

"(d) To liquidate indebtedness of the owner of the land mortgaged, existing at the time of the organization of the first national farm loan association established in or for the county in which the land mortgaged is situated, or indebtedness subsequently for one of the purposes mentioned in this section."

Loans may be made only on first mortgages on farm land.

Only those who own and cultivate farm land or are about to own and cultivate such land are entitled to borrow.

No individual can borrow more than \$10,000 or less than \$100.

No loan may be made for more than 50 per cent of the value of the land mortgaged and 20 per cent of the value of the permanent insured improvements upon it.

The loan must run for not less than five and not more than forty years.

Every mortgage must provide for the repayment of the loan under an amortization plan by means of a fixed number of annual or semi-annual installments sufficient to meet all interest and pay off the debt by the end of the term of the loan.

The installments required will be those published in amortization tables to be prepared by the Farm Loan Board.

The bank is given power to pro-

tect itself in case of default by recalling the loan in whole or in part or taking other necessary action.

The interest rate will be fixed at not more than 1 per cent above the interest of the latest bond issue of the banks. Thus, if the interest bond issue is 4 per cent, the interest rate must be 5 per cent. Out of this margin and any other money the bank can earn on its capital it must pay all expenses and can use the surplus for dividends.

Only such fees as are specified in the act may be charged, and they can be made a part of the loan.

When a bank has loaned \$50,000 it may issue bonds to that extent, based on the mortgages it holds. This process may be repeated until each bank has issued bonds to the extent of twenty times its paid in capital. This will make available \$180,000,000. In the event more is needed, the several banks are at liberty to increase their capital stock. The bonds are to be issued in denominations as follows: \$20, \$50, \$100, \$500 and \$1,000. They will be exempt from federal, State, municipal and local taxation and will be legal investments for fiduciary and trust funds. The capital stock of the Federal land banks will also be exempt from taxation.

#### How a Loan Works Out.

The table given below illustrates how a loan of \$1,000 bearing interest at 5 per cent would be repaid in twenty years by an annual payment of \$80.24. A study of the columns shows how from year to year the interest is reduced, and the proportion of the payment which goes to discharge the principal steadily increases. The final payment cancels the debt.

Annual payments.	Total annual payment.	Interest at 5 per cent.	Paid on principal.	Amount of principal still unpaid.
1	\$80.24	\$50.00	\$30.24	\$969.76
2	80.24	48.48	31.75	938.00
3	80.24	46.90	33.34	904.67
4	80.24	45.23	35.01	869.66
5	80.24	43.48	36.76	832.90
6	80.24	41.64	38.59	794.31
7	80.24	39.71	40.52	753.79
8	80.24	37.68	42.55	711.23
9	80.24	35.56	44.68	666.56
10	80.24	33.32	46.91	619.64
11	80.24	30.98	49.26	570.39
12	80.24	28.51	51.72	518.67
13	80.24	25.93	54.31	464.36
14	80.24	23.21	57.02	407.34
15	80.24	20.35	59.87	347.46
16	80.24	17.37	62.87	284.60
17	80.24	14.23	66.01	218.59
18	80.24	10.93	69.31	149.28
19	80.24	7.46	72.78	76.50
20	80.24	3.83	76.50	.....
Total	\$1,604.89	\$604.81	\$1,000.00	.....

#### FIRE AT MINES.

Tipple at Central City Destroyed  
By Flames.

Central City, Ky., Aug. 7.—Damage to the amount of \$25,000 was caused by a fire at 3 o'clock yesterday morning, which destroyed the tipple of the Central Coal and Iron Company, the only concern which is operating a mine here. Shelby Gish, manager of the company, expressed the opinion that the place was set on fire. He said that two men had been seen in the immediate vicinity of the tipple shortly before the fire was discovered and, though they were not recognized, efforts will be made to identify them in order that warrants may be secured for their arrests.

More than 250 men will be without work for at least sixty days, as it will take that long to rebuild the tipple and the machinery, which were either damaged or destroyed.

The mine is controlled by the DuPonts and Mr. Gish. According to the latter, the fire was not a great surprise. He declared that threats had been made repeatedly of incendiarism.

There has been considerable ill feeling in Muhlenberg county against the Central Coal and Iron Company, it was stated.

#### Origin of Term "Two Bits."

The discussion over the origin of the term, "two bits," and its multiples of "four bits," "six bits," etc., may arouse as much comment as the Bacon-Shakespeare controversy. To Northern and Eastern people the term sounds like a popular slang expression, but to the people of the West and Southwest it is common if not provincial. The price of "a quarter" is seldom used. It is invariably "two bits." It is much easier to say "six bits" than seventy-five cents.

Explanation of the origin of the term "bit" comes from the reference to the monetary system in 1792, when the Spanish milled dollar became the unit of money. At that time there happened to be coined under Spanish authority a piece of silver for Mexico representing the eighth part of a dollar, called a "real" after

#### Plan of Organization.

The temporary management of the banks will be in charge of five directors appointed by the farm loan board, but when the subscriptions reach \$100,000 the farm loan board will name three directors from the district and the loan associations shall name six directors who must be stockholders in an association. One of the three Federal appointees will be designated by the farm loan board as chairman. At least one of the three Federal directors must be a practical farmer engaged in farming at the time of his appointment.

Each loan association must have a board of directors, who must serve without pay, and a secretary-treasurer, who may receive a salary. There shall also be an appraisal committee.

#### Joint Stock Land Banks.

In addition to the system of twelve Federal land banks and the national farm loan associations of borrowers, the act permits the establishment of joint-stock land banks and authorizes them to carry on the business of lending directly to borrowers on farm mortgage security and issuing farm loan bonds. These banks must have a capital of not less than \$250,000. They are under the supervision of the Federal farm loan board, but the government does not lend them any financial assistance.

Its interest rate is limited identically with that of the land bank, and it can issue bonds to the extent of only fifteen times its paid-up capital. The bonds are exempted from taxation, but their capital is not.

Ample provision for frequent examinations of the affairs of the banks and associations is made and heavy penalties for violations of the law are fixed.

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2	80.24	48.48	31.75	938.00
3	80.24	46.90	33.34	904.67
4	80.24	45.23	35.01	869.66
5	80.24	43.48	36.76	832.90
6	80.24	41.64	38.59	794.31
7	80.24	39.71	40.52	753.79
8	80.24	37.68	42.55	711.23
9	80.24	35.56	44.68	666.56
10	80.24	33.32	46.91	619.64
11	80.24	30.98	49.26	570.39
12	80.24	28.51	51.72	518.67
13	80.24	25.93	54.31	464.36
14	80.24	23.21	57.02	407.34
15	80.24	20.35	59.87	347.46
16	80.24	17.37	62.87	284.60
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the name of a coin in Spain and with the same value as the early American shilling. Yankees used the shilling as a common expression, and some can remember when farmers in the Central and Eastern States employed their extra help at so many shillings a day. Six, eight, ten and twelve shillings was heard in all lines of trade.

When adventurers went to California and the southwestern part of the United States they found that dollars of the Mexicans was equivalent to two shillings in the United States. Later dollars became as common as a quarter. Americans have absorbed very few Spanish words. While the language is filled with German and French words, few Spanish words were found. The American never learned to say dos reales, and he might have Americanized that amount by saying "two bits." Hence it may be that "two bits" is of Southwestern and not Eastern origin.—Milwaukee News.

#### Just the Thing for Diarrhoea.

"About two years ago I had a severe attack of diarrhoea which lasted over a week," writes W. C. Jones, Buford, N. D. "I became so weak that I could not stand upright. A druggist recommended Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. The first dose relieved me and within two days I was as well as ever." Many druggists recommend this remedy because they know that it is reliable. Obtainable everywhere.

#### Double Proof.

A tramp knocked at a farmer's door and called for something to eat.

"Are you a Christian?" asked the good-hearted countryman.

"Caut' you tell?" answered the man. "Look at the holes worn in the knees of my pants. What do they prove?"

The farmer's wife promptly brought out the food, and the tramp turned to go.

"Well! Well!" asked the farmer. "What made those holes in the back of your pants?"

"Backsliding," replied the tramp as he hurried on.

## DEFENSE OF 'WE ALL' AND 'YOU ALL'

COLLOQUIALISM DECLARED TO  
BE CORRECT WHEN IT IS  
PROPERLY USED.

The Southern Woman's magazine for July says:

"Criticisms are easy enough to make, but not all of them are as easy to answer as the one recently received by the Southern Woman's Magazine, taking Helen Topping Miller to task for letting old Aunt Tille, of the prize story, 'Look Away,' use the expression 'we-all.' The critic contends that no Southern dandy uses 'we-all' or 'you-all.'"

"In answer to this Mrs. Miller has written a convincing letter. She says:

"I have a dear old black mammy who boasts that she was raised in the blackest patch in Alabama, and she is my authority for the expression 'we-all.' Indeed, her conversation chiefly consists of expressions like 'Miss Helen, we-all ain't got no ice.' 'We-all better git some mo' coffee.' She pronounces it like one word, with a native accent on the 'all.' Since receiving this criticism I have heard three other dandies use the same expression. As for 'you-all,' it seems to me that all dandies use it. I have heard hundreds, I know. I cannot imagine in what part of the South these critics have been living."

And the Newport News (Va.) Times-Herald adds:

"Quite so. 'We-all' was the usual form of expression among the old time negroes of Virginia and meant 'our folks.' If one of the Jones negroes was conversing with one of the Smith negroes about family affairs, and should ask, for example, 'Is you-all got a fambly kerriage?' and the Smith negro would reply, with show of family pride, 'Well, we-all is.'"

"The expression was also used in the possessive case, and if there were two Lucy Smiths in the neighborhood, the one in the family to which the Smith negro belonged would be designated as 'we-all's Miss Lucy.'"

"As for 'you-all,' that time-honored expression is as prevalent in Virginia now as ever. Our Northern friends laugh at us for the use of it and insist that we employ it in designating individuals. But, of course, that is absurdly incorrect. We use it always as a collective pronoun. When we say 'you-all,' we mean you and yours; you and the other members of the family; you and your social set; you and the people of your home town, etc. The question may be addressed to an individual and usually is, but it is always used in a collective sense.

"We-all' agree entirely with Mrs. Miller and the Times-Herald," the Richmond Virginian says as a final clincher. "We don't know where this critic was 'brung up' unless it was in the section where 'we-uns' and 'you-uns' are heard, and we have never heard those expressions in Virginia."

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#### Nothing Doing.

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The walk around the menagerie was a sheer delight to the young gentleman until he came to the strange animal with long, lithe body.

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## HOW GAS IS USED IN THE TRENCHES

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### MUST HANDLE CAREFUL

Men Who Turn Deadly Fumes Into  
Enemy's Trenches Always  
In Danger.

London, Aug. 5.—Before the "big squeeze" began discussion of British gas attacks was strictly prohibited, but now the taboo has been lifted, and a British "gasman" has been allowed to write a graphic account of the work of his own special corps whose business it is, he says, "to doctor the Germans with their own medicine."

"Behind our lines," he writes, "the gas set in a blaze of glory. A glance over the parapet shows the green and scarlet of the poppy No-Man's land already merging into the gray mists of twilight; but 150 yards away, like a brown earth shadow among the grass, hangs the rusty barbed wire of the enemy and just beyond a white, chalky upthrust marks his front line trench. The gasman stares across the silent shadows at that white line and for a moment they think of the choking, gurgling cough of the men who die by gas. It is not pleasant to die by gas."

"Connect up!" The order comes down the line from the bay of the trench to another, and the gasmen immediately get busy. The front rows of neatly piled sandbags of which each fire-step is apparently solidly built are pulled out and disclose a cavity in which show, black and ominous, the cowed heads of a row of iron cylinders. They are sunk in pits well 'hagged up' to protect them from possible crack or puncture by flying fragment or ricocheting bullet. Each cylinder weighs about 130 pounds and contains sufficient compressed gas, if it could be used without waste, to put an entire company out of action.

"On top of the cylinders lies a tangle of flexible connecting pipes, three and four-way joints, spigots, and screw-jets, and upon these, with spanner and key, the gasmen start work. The cylinders are all connected up in series, and nothing remains but to throw the jets over the top of the parapet and open the valves in order to release the deadly fumes."

#### Needs Favoring Breeze.

"But something is required to carry the gas over to the German lines—a favoring breeze—and never did sailor scan the sky more intensely than the gasmen watch their little, inconspicuous wind gauges, fixed to the edge of a trench. They must have a wind of a certain direction, and they prefer it of a certain strength. On this occasion, the direction is satisfactory enough, but the breeze shows signs of weakness, and occasionally falls to a mere, almost imperceptible zephyr."

"When not watching the wind, the gasmen are watching their pipes; repeatedly feeling and testing every inch of tube and joint; for none know better than they the danger of leakage and of the escape of gas into their own trenches. Persistently an officer passed down the line, casting rapid though keen glances as he goes at each set of cylinders and their connecting pipes. And in every bay he pauses and whispers two words to the corporal in charge: 'Eleven o'clock.' But the wind, without which the gas will not reach the enemy's trench and do its deadly work among its occupants, begins to peter out."

"At 10:50 the gasmen don their special respirators, which in the dim light, give the wearers a strange, almost inhuman appearance. Masked and goggled, with weird, trunk-like pieces of hose running from the mouthpiece to the box of air-purifying chemicals strapped to their chests, they look like some of the unearthly beings who people the books of Mr. H. G. Wells."

"But not a breath disturbs the still air. The feeble breeze has died completely. Hurriedly the order runs down the line: 'Cancel, and stand by!' Behind their masks the gasmen grunt disgustedly. But suddenly—crack! crack! rat-a-tat! rat-a-tat-tat! The orders to the infantry have not been countermanded, and the quiet of the night is roughly shattered by a long line of vicious crackling rifles and Lewis guns, to which the Germans reply."

#### Apparatus in Danger.

"The gasmen move uneasily. It is not for themselves they fear, but for those pipes and cylinder heads lying bare and exposed to the hail of flying fragments. Well they know the danger of bursts and of trenches fill-

ed with gas and no wind to move it. But they cannot 'hag up' without orders, and so they detail one of their number in each bay to watch the cylinders while the rest gather behind the traverse, as being a slightly safer spot."

"When day breaks a fair wind is blowing, straight towards the German trenches. But, of course, it is now broad daylight, and the gas will be visible as soon as it leaves the pipes. The gasmen know what to expect. They know that as soon as the greenish-gray clouds appear outside their parapet there will be running messengers and hurried telephoning in the German lines. They know that within a few minutes the word will have reached the German big guns at the back, and that every piece capable of flattening out a parapet and burying them, mangled and broken, among their own cylinders will be concentrated upon the front line trench in which they stand."

"Time! Over the top the jet-pipes are flung, and then, simultaneously along almost two miles of trench, there arises a sibilant hiss, as of some monstrous and venomous snake suddenly aroused from slumber. Now the gasmen are working frantically the wheel and spanner and key, and the hiss increases in shrillness and volume. Outside the parapet the green poison fog is already spreading like a foul blanket over No-Man's land. Carried ceaselessly forward, its outer edge is rapidly approaching the German trenches, into which it will presently sink, spreading agony and death among those who cannot escape."

"No rifle or machine gun fire has been ordered this time, and from either line scarcely a sound is heard except the deadly hiss of the escaping fumes. The minutes pass in tense, ominous quiet. Nature herself seems to pause aghast to watch this latest devilry practiced by her children upon one another."

#### Mend Leaks With Mud

"Behind their masks the gasmen begin to breathe more freely, and then suddenly, on the left, 'Crash! And 'crash' again, and yet again. This time on the right, somewhere close at hand. The men crouch lower over their cylinders; the explosions follow one another almost too rapidly to count, and in any case their minds are no longer fitted to count—or care. Only the valves must be turned, and the pipes must be watched, and the sudden spurt of vapor which marks a leak must be checked by the application of a handful of mud, which the gas immediately freezes into an iron-hard and impenetrable mass."

"In one of the bays, the parapet rocks suddenly and falls forward, burying the men and their cylinders. Almost immediately the men scramble unhurt; but the pipes are broken, and the gas is filling the trench. With spanner and mud the thug is stopped, new connections are rigged up, and the death vapor is again directed outside what is left of the trench. But one of the men has had the mouthpiece of his respirator broken, and already he is coughing and choking painfully. 'I've got it!' he gasps hoarsely, and goes behind the traverse to suck an ammonia ampule and die slowly."

"Closing-up time! Rapidly the valves are shut down, the jet pipes withdrawn and plugged and stacked away. Feverishly the men work at bagging up their cylinders again. Imperturbably a sergeant stalks down the ruined and battered trench, shepherding his flock toward their dug-out. He is an old-timer—a transfer from the infantry—and he scarcely quivers as a shell bursts behind a traverse he has just left. Quietly he directs two of the men to carry an unconscious case to the nearest point of the communication trench where the stretcher-bearers may be found."

"In the dugout, with the shells still pounding overhead, the section's roll is called. Most of the men answered by comrades as wounded and for others no one answers at all."

"But over in the German trenches hundreds of men are choking and gasping in agony for an hour before they can die. They have been made to quaff their own medicine."

#### FIVE DROWN WHEN HOUSE ROLLS INTO RIVER

Harlan, Ky., Aug. 7.—Five persons, Mrs. William Hall and her four children, were drowned here yesterday when a shack in which they had taken refuge when high water drove them from their home was carried away by a landslide into the Cumberland River. William Hall escaped when he left the hut to return to his abandoned home for a lamp. In his absence the building with his family slid into the river.

The slide took place five minutes after he quit the building. When he returned his family was adrift on the river. He was powerless to give aid. An alarm was raised and searching parties were sent out at once, but their work was of no avail. No trace of the building or its occupants has been found.

## TWO FRENCHMEN TAKE HUNDRED PRISONERS

DARING DEED OF AN INFANTRY  
CORPORAL AND COMPANION  
COMMENDED.

Paris, Aug. 7, 5:35 p. m.—Corporal Gouteaubier, of the French Light Infantry, has been decorated with a military cross by President Poincaré for capturing 100 Germans, including two officers, aided only by a single companion. The only reference to Corporal Gouteaubier's exploit in army orders reads:

"For bravery and contempt for danger which struck terror into the trenches and shelter of the enemy. With a single comrade he has made 100 prisoners, including two officers, whom he took to the rear and then rejoined his post."

When Corporal Gouteaubier was paraded before President Poincaré on the recent visit of the latter to the Somme front he told the story of his feat at the request of the President. It was on July 20 before Hem Wood. The French troops had just dashed forward at the German positions. The first wave had swept over the enemy's trenches and the second had followed to complete the operation. However, from a hollow toward the right a well-sustained fusillade was being poured on the rank of the attackers.

Gouteaubier, who was at the right wing of the second wave, called out to one man: "Guillot, come with me." The two men approached the spot where the firing came. They glided from tree to tree until they were close to the shelter where a German company was holding out. Guillot threw bombs as fast as he could into their midst and the fire ceased. "Surrender," shouted the Corporal in a stentorian voice from behind a tree.

In response to his demand 100 Germans emerged from the shelter with uplifted hands, led by two officers. "Pass along this way," shouted Gouteaubier from his hiding place. "Go out of the wood at once and march to the rear." Two minutes later the 100 Germans, shepherded by the Corporal and Guillot, arrived at the French lines. The prisoners admitted that some of their comrades remained in the shelter. "Come on, Guillot, let us go and fetch them," said Gouteaubier. The two men started back, but Guillot fell with a bullet in his breast and the Corporal had to abandon his enterprise.

#### DYING "LIKE A DOG."

(By W. H. Morse, M. D.)

"Die like a dog! Then they die like Christian heroes!"

It was a German who said this, and he spoke with much heat.

One of the English religious papers had published a statement which has been quoted extensively in the American religious press, which was to the effect that many of the Italian soldiers, distrustful of the priests, irreligious to the brink of infidelity, and careless of all moral obligations, dying in war, "die like dogs." American religious zeal has improved upon this, and knowing how interested the Italians at home are in those from "that America," have advocated the equipment of the reservists from this country with the Scriptures in their vernacular, that therewith they might interest the godless soldiers. This plan has been, and will continue to be a great success, and our Lord can be trusted to give His Word free and glorified course in the army where, thus provided, it is so much needed.

The German had heard the expression, and although the Italians are at war with the Austrians, the allies of Germany, he scouted the phrase.

"Die like a dog! Then they die like Christian heroes!"

"How is that?" he was asked.

"It should be perfectly plain if you know how a dog in war dies," he replied.

"The phrase, 'the dogs of war,' sounds familiar!" he was told.

"Think so?" he answered curtly.

"But do you know either as to what the dogs of war are, or as to how dogs die in war? No? Then say no more. Let me tell you some things that have to do with the war, with which you may not be familiar."

"You know the grand duchy of Oldenburg? At about the time of the American declaration of independence the grand duke Paul of Russia, afterward czar, became possessed of Oldenburg, and handed it over to his cousin, the Bishop of Lubeck. The bishop's son was weak-minded, and his cousin, Peter Frederick Louis, became regent, and ultimately grand duke, and progenitor of the present grand duke. Grand Duke Peter was a great lover, breeder, and fancier of dogs, and all of his successors have had the same fad. The present grand duke has it as

strongly as any, and for several years he has been noted for his dogs. Perhaps it might be said that that is his one great claim to notoriety. He has two picture galleries, in which are works of Veronese, Velasquez, Murillo, and other masters, but no one ever thinks of mentioning his love of art in view of his love of dogs. In 1871, when Oldenburg joined the German empire, he talked 'dogs of war.' That is, he said that dogs could be used in war. I cannot say that in the Franco-Prussian war he carried out the idea, but soon after the present war began, he came forward with a plan. The German Society for Hospital Dogs was organized in Berlin, and the grand duke was elected as its president. People, by that time, began to listen to him with some respect. He had eight dogs, and he told with a great deal of animation that they would range the grand duchy and when they found people, who for one reason or other had met with accidents, they would not rest until they got them attended to. Why couldn't this idea be made profitable in the war? The government gave him carte blanche, and today there are, in the employ of the Germans, in their army, no less than 2467 dogs that are doing hospital service. They make no distinction between friend and foe, but thoroughly trained, they are sent out after the battles, and go about picking up the men who have been wounded. I saw it stated the other day that it is estimated that since the outbreak of the war not less than 8,000 men have been picked up on the battle-fields by the aid of the war dogs, those great German dogs so familiar to all who have been in Germany."

"But you spoke of 'dying like dogs.' The grand duke insists that the war dogs die like Christian heroes. He and others tell of dogs have been shot, and of the pathetic scene when they die, exhibiting to the last their solicitude for the welfare of the wounded. One incident of many was of a dog that had found a wounded soldier, and while howling to attract the attention of the surgeons to him, was struck by a piece of shell that mangled one of its legs. He still kept up his howling, and when a surgeon came to him, he noticed the torn leg. 'Ah, the dog is hurt!' he said, and started to examine the injury, when with a whistle the dog drew back and as well as it could, indicated the wounded soldier and his need of help. The surgeon started to bandage the dog's leg, with a show of its teeth it refused to be touched till the soldier was attended to. The surgeon then came back to the dog, by that time bleeding to death. As the surgeon stooped over him, he wagged his tail feebly, and died. Other stories, just as tender and affecting, are told, but the soldiers enjoy better telling of the rescue work of the war dogs."

#### MOUNTAIN-TOP ROAD OPENED IN CALIFORNIA

Quite an interesting piece of highway construction is represented in the Ridge Road, opened last spring, which gives California motorists a much more direct route between Los Angeles and Bakersfield than has been available in the past. The thoroughfare constitutes a new section of the Tejon Road that connects southern California with the San Joaquin Valley. The distance has been cut to 120 miles by the establishment of the Ridge Road. At the place where the new highway diverges from the Tejon Road it rises from an elevation of 1,000 feet to one of 5,300 feet and then extends along the crest of a mountain range for more than 20 miles. After this it drops down to a lower altitude and joins into the former artery. A magnificent view of hill and valley for miles in all directions is afforded at every point along the mountain-top route. The roadway is smooth, its turns banked, none of its grades steeper than six per cent and its width in no place less than 21 feet. Views taken along the Ridge Road appear in the July Popular Mechanics Magazine.

#### TOBACCO GROWERS NOT DISTURBED BY EMBARGO

Hopkinsville, Ky., Aug. 7.—Notwithstanding the renewal of the British Order-in-Council barring the shipment of tobacco from the United States to the Central Powers, there is optimism here concerning the sale of the next crop, which promises to be one of the largest and best raised in many years. Growers generally report excellent prospects.

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That one of the biggest concerns of the kind in America has confidence in the market is attested by the contract just let here by the Weyman-Bruton Snuff Company for the erection of a \$60,000 plant for prizing and rehandling tobacco. The buildings will occupy 192x267 feet, on Clay street and will be of brick, stone and steel, and the plant will be finished in time for the opening of the market next fall. Ground for the foundations was broken Saturday.

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JOHN P. HASWELL, JR.  
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Judging from the noise coming from Owensboro someone's feelings must be hurt.

It is quite easy to tell from the howls emerging from Democratic sources that the speech of Hughes hit the spot with a thud.

Only forty-three votes were cast against John P. Haswell for the Republican nomination for Congress in his home county of Breckenridge.

So far no one has been appointed to officially notify A. D. Kirk of his nomination for County Attorney of Ohio county. We believe Kirk knows it anyway, tho.

Appropriations of the present Democratic Congress has passed the \$1,500,000,000 mark. Another hundred millions will be appropriated before adjournment. How is that for economy?

Two or three Democrats, one a county officer, presented themselves at the Republican primary here last Saturday for a vote. The election officers had some trouble in explaining in one instance why it was that all were not entitled to cast a vote.

The accepting Administration has accepted Carranza's proposals. It accepted Germany's explanations and England's dictations just as readily. It imagines that it will accept the power of government again next year but the American people are preparing a torpedo.

Felix Diaz was victorious in his first clash with the Carranza troops under the auspices of Mexico's latest and newest revolution. We may yet be compelled to finish our negotiations with President Diaz, of Mexico. Hughes and Diaz couldn't do worse than those now parleying.

The first page of the Hartford Herald this week says the Progressive party will not be allowed to die. A cartoon on the second page shows the Moose party dead and buried. The fourth page of the same issue says, "Big Stampede of Moose to Wilson." Pay your money and take your choice.

With President Wilson coming down to accept the Lincoln Farm, Hughes opening the Republican campaign in Kentucky, Marshall doing likewise for the Democrats and the prospects bright for a visit from Mr. Fairbanks and Col. Roosevelt soon, the Bluegrass State will entertain her share of the big ones this year.

The appointment of National Committeeman Hirt, of Louisville, as manager of the Western campaign for Hughes and Fairbanks is a splendid recognition of the game fight of Kentucky Republicans. Kentucky is to again be the battle ground this fall after having seen little action since the Union and Confederate armies struggled on her soil in the sixties.

A large Hartford audience had listened to Lieut. McGibney's chautauqua lecture on his experiences in the European war with interest Tuesday evening. They were prepared to stamp it with approval when suddenly he dived into politics and, so far as many of his hearers were concerned, ruined the whole thing. The people of Kentucky will have an opportunity of hearing some of the biggest political speakers in the country soon, and without charge. They, therefore, do not care to pay admission to receive advice as to how

they should vote in November, especially from a young Lieutenant of the French army, who, according to his own story, has been out of the United States for several months.

On another page will be found a letter to The Republican from a Belgian soldier at the front, who asks that we send him copies of the paper when we have extras left over from week to week. He says that he is very fond of the American newspaper and states that it is very hard for the boys in the trenches to get anything to read during their leisure hours. The address of the young Belgian is given and we suggest that our readers send him magazines after reading them. It will be appreciated we are sure.

ROHNS TO SUPPORT HUGHES.  
One of the latest additions to the G. O. P. following is Raymond Rohns, chairman of the recent National Convention of the Progressive party. The endorsement of Hughes by the magnetic orator comes as a blow to the Democrats because he was a member of that party before joining the Progressives.

Mr. Rohns is a man who has the confidence and esteem of a large following. He is energetic and sincere and believes that the principles of the reorganized Republican party are best for the Nation's future. His decision means much for the success of the ticket and it is no wonder that Republicans rejoice.

THE CONGRESSIONAL RACE.  
Fourth District Republicans have selected their candidate to make the race for Congress this fall. It would be hard to find a better man to carry the banner than John Haswell. Mr. Haswell is a man of strong personality and ability, a good mixer and a splendid orator. He is in the race to win this fall and his chances are flattering.

Our present Congressman has held the place about long enough think Fourth District Republicans and hundreds of Democrats. A change is due and it is quite likely that it will take place within the next year. No matter who wins the race it will be clean and hard fought, because the nominees are of the high type.

Republicans must realize that no man is so strong that he cannot be defeated. They must recognize the fact they have a good chance this fall, and get busy.

REAL GOOD FELLOWS.  
While Lee Hicks, a farmer who lives a short distance North-west of Hartford, battles with the stubborn typhoid fever twenty-six loyal neighbors, neighbors that are neighbors, men whose hands are not trained for the sole purpose of favoring their ear with the clink of the dollar as it falls into their own pockets, gather at the home of the sick man slaughter the weeds, worm and work his tobacco, and attend to his crop in a general way. For their work, financially, they receive nothing, asking even less. Hicks knows and appreciates. His worries are lessened and he is stronger for his battle for life.

What a splendid example for any community. Where could more unselfish men be found? What a great neighborhood to live in. These men are the real good fellows that we hear about but seldom meet. A microscope is not necessary to detect their Christianity. It is hushed into full view by the better side of humanity. They not only take as prisoners the eternal gratitude of one who is unable to help himself and the admiration of others but they command the respect of all who believe in helping the hard luck victim. They are bound closer together, they think more of one another, but genuine reward comes when one of those hardy farmers gazes into his own soul knowing full well that by a small sacrifice on his part he has helped a fellow man. He is inclined to whistle a bit and to turn the page for a look at the brighter side of life.

Our hat is off to those real good fellows. We need more of them and as they come so rise the stock of life.

### MARSHALL WILL OPEN CAMPAIGN FOR DEMOCRATS

Washington, Aug. 8.—Positive announcement that Vice President Marshall will open Kentucky's Democratic campaign at Winchester, Saturday, September 9, was made this afternoon by Representative A. B. Rouse, chairman of the State Speaker's Bureau.

Hoover S. Cummings, vice chairman of the Democratic National Committee and chairman of the speakers' Bureau, conferred with Senator James and Mr. Rouse. He agreed on behalf of the National Committee, which controls speaking time of the Vice President, to have the distinguished Indiana Democrat go to Winchester. Following this conference, Mr. Rouse and Mr. Cummings met the Vice President and he said the final word needed to assure his presence for the Democratic opening.

## RAILROAD STRIKE THOUGHT SETTLED

FOUR BROTHERHOODS, REPRESENTING 400,000 MEN AGREE TO ARBITRATE.

### AFFECTS STOCK MARKET

Acceptance of Mediation Offer By The Strikers Is Followed By Buoyancy.

New York, Aug. 9.—The threatened strike of the 400,000 railway employees of the United States was averted to-day when the railroad brotherhoods accepted a proffer of the United States Board of Mediation and Conciliation to mediate their differences with the railroads.

The acceptance of the mediation agreement by the railroad employees was followed by buoyancy in the stock market. Leading shares were two to four points higher in the afternoon on the liveliest dealings of recent weeks.

Industrial shares were similarly affected. United States Steel leading the movement in that quarter with an advance of 1½ to 2½%. Its best price since last January.

After the delivery of the brotherhoods' acceptance of the offer the mediators made preparations to confer with the railroad managers this afternoon.

Announcement of the acceptance of the offer was made by A. B. Garretson, head of the Conductors' Brotherhood, after it had been delivered by G. W. W. Hanger, a member of the board, following an appeal to that body to intervene made to-day by the National Conference of Railroad Managers.

Mr. Garretson said he had informed the board that the offer was accepted on the condition that "its good offices are promptly exercised."

The Federal board, which is composed of Mr. Hanger, Martin A. Knapp and Judge W. L. Chambers, was prepared to begin conferences with the respective sides to the controversy before night. It was understood, although at the time of Mr. Garretson's announcement the board had not been officially informed of the acceptance.

Urges Quick Action.  
"The Federal Board of Mediation and Conciliation has notified us," read Mr. Garretson's statement, "that it has received the request of the managers' conference committee to exercise its friendly offices in an effort to bring about an amicable settlement of the questions that exist between the conference committee of the managers and ourselves. Our answer was to the effect that we would accept the mediators' proffer of their friendly offices provided it was promptly exercised."

New Grocery.  
We have installed a large and complete line of staple and fancy groceries in the Griffin building and are now ready for business. We operate on an absolutely cash basis which accounts for our remarkably low prices. Call, look over our line and inquire about our cut rate prices. Nelson's Blue Front Cash Grocery, 317 Hartford, Ky.

### THIS DISCOVERY MAY RELIEVE PAPER SITUATION

Berlin, Aug. 8.—The royal material testing office announces the discovery that paper can be manufactured from cotton stalks. The discovery is pointed to as being of vast importance to the United States, the greatest cotton producing country in the world.

Administrator's Notice.  
All persons having claims against the estate of L. D. Taylor, deceased, are notified to present same to me properly proven, for payment, within 60 days, at my home on Route 3, Beaver Dam, Ohio county, Ky.

### COUNTRY'S TOBACCO CROP LARGER THAN LAST YEAR

The United States Department of Agriculture issues the following information regarding the new tobacco crop:  
The total area of cigar tobacco is 187,100 acres, compared with 172,400 acres in 1915, an increase of 8.5 per cent. Two districts, New York and Georgia and Florida, show a falling off; New England has the same acreage as last year, and all other districts show an increase.

The chewing, smoking, snuff, and export types show 1,192,000 last year, an increase of 60,800 acres, or 5.3 per cent. The Old Bright, New Bright and Louisiana-Perique districts show decreased acreages, while each of the others has an increase. The decrease in the New Bright district was caused by a shortage of plants and dry weather at transplanting time. The decrease in South Carolina, Eastern North Carolina has about the same acreage as last year.

In the Old Bright district plants were scarce and weather dry during the early part of the planting season; conditions were favorable during the latter part of May and June and the crop was set later than usual. In all other districts dry weather caused no inconvenience at planting time.

In New York excessive rains and cool weather retarded plant growth and destroyed some fields after transplanting was accomplished. This in connection with a shortage of plants caused the reduction in acreage.

In the Louisiana-Perique district low prices and slow sales discouraged growers and the area is the smallest of recent years. In the other districts plants were plentiful, and, while in some instances excessive rains delayed transplanting for a few days, the crop was transplanted in good time. The stand as a rule is better than usual, but cultivation has been delayed in most districts by too much rain in June.

The Georgia and Florida crop is being harvested and gives promise of being one of the best ever grown in that district.

### SENATE ALLOWS CLAIM

Louisville Woman To Get \$2,936 For Mansion During War.

Washington, Aug. 8.—The Senate has just passed a bill appropriating \$2,936 to Miss S. Stephens Stone, of Louisville, Ky., administratrix of the estate of Mary H. S. Robertson, deceased, late of Paducah, for the occupancy of the Stone mansion by the United States authorities during the Civil War.

In September, 1861, when the forces under Gen. Lew Wallace occupied Paducah, he took possession of Mrs. Stone's residence and used it as headquarters until the fall of Ft. Donelson. After it was vacated by him it was converted into a hospital and used for that purpose until October, 1865.

A number of years ago the claim was presented to the Quartermaster General, who held that he was without jurisdiction to consider it, and referred it to the Treasury officials, who rejected it because the government had not entered into any contract for the payment of rent.

The claim has been pending before Congress for a number of years, and recently Capt. C. C. Calhoun, of Lexington and Washington, has been employed in the case. During the present Congress, Representative Sherley introduced a bill to pay the claim and had it passed by the House of Representatives. On reaching the Senate, the bill was pressed very vigorously by Senator Beckham. Some opposition was encountered by him when the bill was reached on the calendar, but he succeeded in overcoming the objections which were raised and had it passed. It is expected that the bill will be approved by the President within the next few days.

### Administrator's Notice.

All persons having claims against the estate of George W. Maddox, deceased, must present same to me at my home near Washington church, Hartford, Route 5, Ohio county, Ky., or to Attorneys Woodward & Kirk, Hartford, Ky., for payment, properly verified as required by law, within 60 days from this date, or be forever thereafter barred.

Given under my hand this August 4th, 1916.

G. E. SMITH, Admr.

### TREMENDOUS LEAP IN WHEAT MARKET

Chicago, Aug. 9.—At tip-top prices of to-day's session of the Board of Trade, wheat showed an advance of 11½ cents a bushel overnight. The market throughout the session gave evidence of great tension owing to millions of bushels in domestic crop losses officially confirmed and because of disastrous further losses indicated in Canada.

The market closed excited, 10½ to 11½ cents net higher, with September at \$1.44 to \$1.44½ and December \$1.48 to \$1.48½.

### County Court.

Clemma Westerfield qualified on August 4th as guardian of I. C. V. Westerfield.

Robert D. Walker has been appointed and qualified as collector of taxes in Hartford Graded School District.

### HARTFORD PRESSING CLUB.

Clothes cleaned and pressed. Repairing. Satisfaction guaranteed. Work called for and delivered. Shop over Ohio County Hotting Works. 421

ED. NALL, Prop.

## Now Comes Our Semi-Annual Cut- Price Shoe Sale From August 1, to August 12, Inclusive.

This sale is held just once every season and means a real reduction on all Low Shoes in our department. These goods are not bought for this sale, but are our regular stock. They come in patent leather, dull kid and gun metal.

All \$5.00 Low Shoes.....	\$3.75
All \$4.00 Low Shoes.....	\$3.10
All \$3.50 Low Shoes.....	\$2.65
All \$3.00 Low Shoes.....	\$2.40
All \$2.50 Low Shoes.....	\$2.00
All \$2.00 Low Shoes.....	\$1.55

This includes women's, girls', misses', children's, boys' and men's—every Low Shoe in the department, except BILLIKEN SHOES.

Men's Palm Beach Suits, now ..... \$4.50  
Men's Kool Krash Suits, now ..... \$5.50

## Carson & Co. INCORPORATED Hartford, Ky.

### HUGHES CHANGES ST. LOUIS DATE

IN ORDER TO MAKE LEXINGTON  
SEPTEMBER 5, MISSOURI  
DATE SWITCHED.

St. Louis, Aug. 9.—In order that he may keep his appointment in Lexington, Ky., where he will open that State's campaign, Charles Evans Hughes, Republican nominee for President, today changed the date of his St. Louis speech from September 4 to September 2.

The change was announced by National Committeeman Joseph L. Babbler, of Missouri, upon his return from Chicago.

### COL. ROOSEVELT MAY SPEAK IN KENTUCKY

Washington, Aug. 9.—According to Representative John W. Langley, a big oratorical drive will soon be on in Kentucky. He has undertaken to secure Republican speakers of national prominence, whose speaking places and dates will be arranged later by the speakers' bureau of the Republican State Committee.

Langley is facilitating himself on having received definite assurances that Col. Theodore Roosevelt will spend three days campaigning in Kentucky.

"One of those days will be spent in the Big Sandy Valley, and we will send him through the mountain region of the State on a special train," said Langley.

### NOTICE.

Having bought the interest of my brother, B. H. Ellis, in the Ellis Milling Co., we desire all those indebted to us to please call and settle all old accounts.

I will continue the flour mill business at the same old stand and will appreciate the patronage of all my friends. Will have on hand at all times Flour, Meal, Bran and Ship-stuff.

W. E. ELLIS,  
Hartford, Ky.

### "CHINESE GROUP" FORMED TO KEEP CONGRESS POSTED

Washington, Aug. 8.—Organization of an unofficial group of Senators and Representatives to keep Congress informed of Chinese affairs, similar to other "China groups"

formed in European parliaments, has been announced. An invitation to join such a group, signed by Senators Curtis and Saulsbury, and Representatives Cooper, McKinley, Slayden and Austin, was sent to a number of members of Congress. The first meeting will be held to-day.

The China group has as its objective "the assurance of friendly relations between China and foreign parliaments, the maintenance of equitable opinion, the interchange of legislative ideas, and the promotion of international understanding." Groups have been organized during the last three years in England, France, Belgium, Italy, Switzerland, Portugal, Spain and Austria under the unofficial sanction of the Chinese republican parliament.

### FORDSVILLE ITEMS.

Aug. 10.—The showers of Monday night and Tuesday afternoon were very much needed. Crops are burning up in this part of the county.

Mr. Wallace Coons and family returned from Louisville Saturday.

Huber Cooper, of Owensboro, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Cooper, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. D. M. Jones is in Owensboro this week.

Mrs. Corda Day, of Murray, Ky., is visiting her mother, Mrs. George Fugua.

Galen Hines left Saturday on a motoring trip to Owensboro and points in Indiana.

Mr. Arthur Smith and wife, and Mr. and Mrs. Fisher, of Rockvale, were the guests of Mrs. E. P. Rodgers Friday.

The Holy Rollers came to town last week.

Miss May Rogers returned from a motoring trip to Bowling Green Saturday night.

Mr. C. E. Ford, of Enid, Okla., is visiting friends and relatives here this week.

Fred Smith, of Monet, Mo., is the guest of his mother, Mrs. Barny Smith.

Dr. E. W. Ford, of Hartford, was in town Sunday.

### LIGHTNING STRIPS MULE OF HARNESS

Princeton, Ky., August 8.—During an electrical storm at Blue Springs church, near the Caldwell-Trigg county line, the lightning played a peculiar prank. A mule was stripped of its harness when struck by lightning, though the mule escaped injury, except being knocked down. Another mule was killed at the same time.



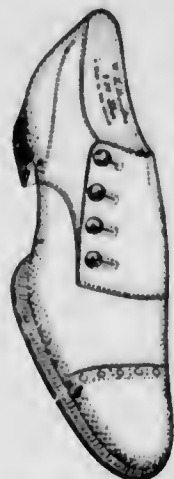
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Beginning to-day we will offer some large reductions in Ladies', Misses' and Children's Slippers. While the manufacturers are steadily advancing the prices of Shoes, our motto, as usual, is to carry over no surplus stock if prices will be any inducement. You can buy

Our Ladies' regular \$3.00, now..... \$2.50  
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Our " " 2.00, now..... 1.69  
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A like reduction in all Men's Oxfords. The above come in Patent Leather, Gun Metal, Kid and Tans. Plenty of time to wear them, and they are surely bargains at the above prices. If in need, see us, and remember that

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## Hartford Republican.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 11.

**L., H. & ST. L. R. TIME TABLE.**  
No. 113 due at Ellimitch 8:32 p. m.  
No. 110 due at Ellimitch 7:30 a. m.  
No. 112 Lv. Ellimitch .. 3:40 p. m.  
Ar. Irvington .. 5:35 p. m.  
Lv. Irvington .. 5:56 p. m.  
Ar. Louisville .. 7:40 p. m.  
No. 111 Lv. Louisville .. 8:35 a. m.  
Ar. Irvington .. 10:06 a. m.  
Lv. Irvington .. 10:40 a. m.  
Ar. Ellimitch .. 1:04 p. m.  
**M., H. & E. R. R. TIME TABLE.**  
South Bound, No. 115—  
Due at Hartford.....8:45 a. m.  
North Bound, No. 114—  
Due at Hartford.....6:55 p. m.  
(Both "Mixed Trains.")

## Personal News and Social Events.

Mr. H. S. Royal, of Fordsville, was in town Monday.  
Hon. R. E. Lee Simmerman was in Louisville this week.  
Mr. J. H. Loyd, of Fordsville, was here on business Monday.  
Mr. Jack Taylor, of near Rochester, was in town last Monday.  
Mr. Ray O'Bannon, of Greenville, was here Friday and Saturday.  
**For Rent.**—A 5-room cottage, in good repair. Apply at this office 614  
Esq. J. L. Patton, of Ralph, was in Hartford on business Monday.  
Miss Lillian Tichenor, of Meltenry, is the guest of Miss Gayle Tichenor.  
Mrs. Jennie D. Hamilton, of Greenville, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Felix.  
Messrs. J. I. Clarke and W. H. Maddox, of Rockport, were here last Monday.  
Mrs. I. S. Mason, of Huford, was in Hartford calling upon friends the first of this week.  
Dr. E. W. Ford and family spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Fordsville.  
Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Wilson, of Pontiac, Miss., are visiting Mrs. Wilson's parents, Rev. and Mrs. R. D. Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ceell left Wednesday for a short visit to relatives in Owensboro.  
Miss Olive May Speck, of Bowling Green, is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. C. M. Crowe.  
Miss Leona Stahl returned to Morgantown yesterday after a visit with Mrs. L. G. Hoover.  
Mrs. Henry Young, of St. Louis, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. H. Hammons, at Horton.  
Mr. R. C. Kelly, of McAlester, Okla., visited friends in Hartford several days last week.  
Mr. L. P. Loney, of Owensboro, visited his sister, Mrs. J. A. Hocker, Tuesday and Wednesday.  
Mr. W. C. Blankenship is attending the county court clerk's meeting at Dawson Springs today.  
Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Barnett were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orin Wallace, of Central City, last week.  
Miss Mabel Head will return to Owensboro to-day, after a visit with Miss Winnie Davis Simmerman.  
Rev. B. F. Jenkins will preach at the Baptist church at this place Sunday at 11 a. m., and at 7:30 p. m.  
Miss Verna Duke, who is attending school at Bowling Green, is visiting her sister, Mrs. U. S. Carson.  
Mr. Clifford Moore left Monday for Dayton, Ohio, where he has a position with an automobile factory.  
Mrs. Ellis Miller, of Monette, Mo., and daughter, were the guests of Mrs. P. B. Taylor Tuesday and Wednesday.  
Mr. Corbet Lake, of Clear Run, left Monday for Detroit, Mich., to take a position in an automobile factory.  
Miss Myrtle Park, of Central Grove, and Miss Hazel Everly, of Rockport, are visiting Mrs. J. B. Tappan.  
Miss Ella McKenney, of Beaver Dam, was the guest of Miss Winnie Davis Simmerman Wednesday and Thursday.  
Mr. Fred Robertson returned to Earlinton Tuesday, after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Robertson.  
Mrs. Roberta Taylor, of Beaver Dam, was the guest of Mrs. R. E. Haynes and Miss Beatrice Haynes last week.  
Mr. Walker McCuen, of Tulsa, Okla., who had been visiting his aunt and families, Mrs. Dr. J. R. Pirtle, and Mrs. Wm. Newholt, for the past two weeks, left here Wednesday for a two or three days visit with relatives and friends in Fordsville, after which he will return to his home.  
Robert Pirtle, of Versailles, is visiting the family of Dr. J. R. Pirtle and other relatives in and adjacent to Hartford.  
Miss Nona Barnett will return to Lewisburg today, after visiting friends and relatives in Fordsville and Hartford.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Reid, of Rockport, will leave to-day after a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Gillespie and family.  
Misses Naude and Eunice Shultz, of Narrows, were the guests of Misses Elizabeth and Beulah Moore Tuesday and Wednesday.  
So good, no bones! Ward's fine cakes—another shipment just in. Only 10c. Her's Grocery. Hurry before they are all gone.  
Mrs. Z. H. Shultz, of Pleasant Ridge, will return home to-day, after a short visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Sanderfur.  
Yes, we have a few more copies of "When a Man's a Man," Harold Bell Wright's new book that was put on sale yesterday, \$1.35 Her's Grocery.  
Friends in Hartford have received cards from Mr. and Mrs. Martin D. Thomas, of Morgan, announcing the birth of Miss Vivian May Thomas.  
Mr. L. Duke and daughter, Miss Katherine Duke, of Owensboro, visited in Hartford this week. Mr. Duke is a former resident of Ohio county.  
Mr. and Mrs. Alex Grigsby left Monday for Mt. Carmel, Ill., where they are visiting their son and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Seibert.  
Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Bardwell, of Taylor Mines, and their guests, Mr. and Mrs. George Neal, of Louisville, were in Hartford Wednesday for the chautauqua.  
Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Loyd, Barretts Ferry, and Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Quisenberry, Olston, were the guests of Judge R. R. Wedding and family the first of this week.  
**For Rent.**—Having decided to move to the farm I will after November rent my house and lot on Main street, 1 1/2 squares from the court house. Apply. W. D. LUCE, 512  
Hartford, Ky.  
Mr. C. E. Ford, of Enfield, Okla., was here to see his brother, Dr. E. W. Ford, Saturday. He left for Evansville Saturday evening to visit relatives for several days before returning to Enfield.  
Miss Ruby Martin, Stigler Okla., and Miss Mae Whittinghill, of Shreve, are visiting Miss Maurine Martin. The Misses Martin will leave Tuesday for a visit to friends in Earlinton and Livermore.  
Mrs. R. L. Shultz, of Narrows, visited Mrs. E. P. Moore, Tuesday and Wednesday. She was accompanied home Wednesday evening by Mrs. Moore and two children who will return tomorrow.  
The City Restaurant building on Main Street is being repaired and it is understood that it will be in operation again within the next few days. New paper is being hung and new floors have been built.  
Dr. and Mrs. Ned Henry, of Jacksonville, Fla., are visiting friends in Hartford. Dr. Henry, who is a former resident of Hartford, left here twenty-nine years ago, this being his first visit since leaving.  
Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Thornsherry, of Owensboro, and their guests, Miss Mittle May, of St. Cloud, Fla., and Mrs. Luther Barnett, of Louisville, motored over from Owensboro Tuesday to visit Mrs. Alex Barnett.  
Misses Norine Barnett, Nancy Ford, Mattie Duke, Lella Glenn, Elizabeth Moore, Katherine Pendleton and Mariah Holbrook will leave for Cromwell to-day to be guests at a house party given by Miss Gorlin Flenor.  
Profs. Claude Shultz and Aaron T. Ross have been elected or employed as President and Vice President, respectively, of the Beaver Dam High School. They succeed Profs. Stillwell and Tanner, who were in charge last year.  
Miss Mariah Likens and Messrs. Edward and Frank Likens, daughter and sons of Hon. G. B. Likens, arrived from Frankfort with their housekeeper, Mrs. Leva Mount yesterday. They will reside in the dwelling now occupied by R. T. Collins and family on Washington street.  
Mr. Byron Miller, of Colorado, formerly of Fordsville, this county, was struck and instantly killed by lightning last Sunday. The deceased was a nephew of Sheriff S. O. Keown, Ex-Sheriff Cal P. Keown and Capt. J. G. Keown, of Hartford. Mr. Miller was struck while out on his farm near Denver.  
**For Sale.**  
Good 120 acre farm on Rough River, 3 miles west of Hartford. 60 acres in cultivation; other 60 acres woodland. Improved. Apply. TINSLEY & BARNETT, Hartford, Ky.

## PURRING OF KITTY NO LONGER AUDIBLE

LEAGUE DISBANDED WITH SEVERAL CLUBS CLAIMING PENNANT.

Hopkinsville, Ky., Aug. 7.—After strenuous efforts to keep the Kitty League alive after Madisonville dropped out last week, the organization finally blew up to-night.  
Owensboro disbanded its team after yesterday's double header and failed to fill its engagement at Henderson today. Hopkinsville played at Clarksville today for the sole purpose of allowing Clarksville to hold its Booster Day to raise finances. The Hopkinsville team returned here to-night and will be paid off and disbanded to-morrow.  
The Henderson, Dawson Springs and Clarksville teams are still intact, but these can't keep going by themselves. Dawson Springs was really a pennant contender and that town was anxious to continue. With the others the ending of the season was welcome, for the patronage had been poor all season and had grown much worse of late.  
But with all of this the league could possibly have finished the season, which would have ended August 28, had President Bassett been able to visit the various towns and enthrone the clubs and fans as he has done so many times in the past. But his duties as City Commissioner here and acting as Mayor pro tem now, kept him from performing this duty, and there was no one else who could do it.  
Both Dawson Springs and Owensboro claim the pennant, Dawson contending that Owensboro really dropped out last week and Owensboro claiming credit for all the games played up to last night.

### READ THIS.

If in need of Corn, Hay, Oats, Dried or Arah Mixed Feeds, Chicken Feeds, Grits and Shells, Weher Wagons, Farm Implements, Repairs on the Deering and McCormick Mowing Machines, Grass and Field Seeds of all kinds, in season, as well as the best Patent Blue Ribbon and Second Patent Red Rose Flour, two-foot Tile for wells, Rock Salt, Stock and Poultry Remedies, we are prepared to furnish you as cheap as like articles are to be had elsewhere, if not cheaper. Call and let us quote you before buying.

W. E. ELLIS & BRO.,  
The Produce Men,  
Hartford, Ky.  
313  
Note—Cash always paid for Poultry and Eggs.

### Thomas A. Fowler Victim of Heat.

Mr. Thomas A. Fowler, of Houston, Texas, died at his home in the forenoon of August 9th. Mr. Fowler was overcome by the heat. It is not known how long he survived after being stricken.  
The deceased leaves surviving, a wife and four small children. The widow, Mrs. Fowler was formerly Miss Margaret Davidson and a sister of our townsman, Mr. J. E. Davidson. Mrs. Fowler formerly resided here and taught in the schools of Ohio county for a short time before her marriage to Mr. Fowler, whom she met while on a visit to her sister in Galveston, Texas.

### Prices You'll Enjoy.

Under special arrangements we are in position to make you the following wholesale prices F. O. B. Louisville:  
100-lbs. Cane Sugar.....\$7.75  
50-lbs. Can Pure Hog Lard.... 7.00  
15 Packages Oatmeal..... 4.00  
1 box Ivory Soap..... 1.20  
1 bag Oyster Shell, 100-lbs.... .50  
50-lbs good loose Coffee, per lb. .12  
1 case 2 1/2-lbs. heavy syrup sliced Pineapple, doz..... 1.95  
You can save money by ordering in quantity lots. Above prices cash. Bring your orders to  
ILLER'S GROCERY,  
Hartford, Ky.

### MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED SINCE OUR LAST REPORT

Corbet Wells, Taylor Mines, to Olive Hohdy, Taylor Mines.  
Arthur Lee Edwards, Fordsville, to Magnolia Crowe, Fordsville.  
William Schroeder, Olaton, to Mary A. Peach, Hartford, R. 2.  
Thomas G. Taylor, Wysox, to Annie E. Vaughn, Wysox.  
H. Cline, Huff, Edmonson, County, Ky., to Mrs. Sarah E. Oiler, Fordsville, aged 70 and 68 respectively.

### SEEDS.

Best Quality Field and Grass Seeds, German Millet, Red Top, Kentucky Blue Grass, White Sweet Clover, Red Clover, Alsike Clover, Crimson Clover, Timothy and Northern Reelclean White Rye.  
Don't sow cheap seeds. It pays to sow the best and we and we have a fresh stock in our house.  
414 W. E. ELLIS & BRO.

## HAVE YOU SEEN

# "The Battle Cry of Peace?"

That greatest of all pictures on the screen today. If you have not, then you cannot afford to miss this, perhaps your last opportunity. If you have, then come see it again and be thrilled as nothing has ever thrilled you. This will be shown in the big thoroughly ventilated, electrically cooled

BEAVER DAM OPERA HOUSE,  
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AUGUST 14, 1916.

First Show 6:30 p. m. Second Show 8:45 p. m.

Admission Adults, 25c.  
Children Under 12 years of Age 15c.

## STRAY STREAKS.

(By Fluke McFluke.)

Dock Beard has been caught helping his wife make kraut and as a result has been fired out of the new order of United Sons of Perpetual Rest. Good for you, Dock.

It is just enough cooler for Hartford's tennis nuts to make a racket like they wished to serve some at the net.

Hooker Williams, our town marshal, says that since water melons have become so plentiful he has to be continuously shifting his belt buckle.

When the cartoonist got to talking the other night at the chautauqua about old Man Skinnem, of 10 and 15 per cent discount fame, a very good friend of ours tried to sneak behind our chair. No, I am not going to tell you whether it was A. Petty, Booker Riley or Mut Hunter.

Albert Rial says he noticed in a paper the other day where one of two fellows in the ice business professed religion and after that, the newly made convert would have nothing to do with the business, except drive the team with the ice wagon. Albert doth further depose, saying that Harold Holbrook is still weighing ice and not much prospect of his becoming actively identified with any of the local churches until cold weather sets in.

A certain lawyer, a bully good fellow of this town, came into The Republican office the other day in a rather joyous and hilarious mood with roses in both cheeks. He was O. K., nothing at all the matter with him, but some how the whole blamed office force wanted to accompany this good fellow back to his office. When he started to leave every one of us got out and on the street. It appeared to dawn upon each of us at about the same time, as to what the other had in mind. We all, shamefacedly returned to the office and quietly went to work and so far nothing has been said about the matter.

It is rumored that C. O. Hunter contemplates embarking in the chautauqua business. Owen confidentially admits to his most intimate friends that he has been on one side or the other of some very nice little scoops, financially, in these and other sorts of public entertainments.

### Fiscal Court Meets.

The Ohio County Fiscal Court with John B. Wilson, County Judge presiding, and Justices Ed Shown, S. W. Leach, S. L. Fulkerson, R. C. Tichenor, W. S. Dean, Winson Smith, B. F. Rice and B. W. Taylor present, by order of adjournment from July 21, 1916, met at the court house August 9, and is yet in session. The court transacted quite a bit of business of which the following is a portion:

T. H. Benton, County Road Engineer, filed his pay roll dating from July 5, to August 9, 1916 amounting to \$1,402.99. Said pay-roll was approved and allowed in full.  
The J. I. Case Threshing Machine Co., of Racine, Wis., was awarded contract for one ten-ton steam road roller with 12 barrel sprinkler attachment at the price of \$2,673.75. The above named company was also

awarded contract for one scarifier, at the price of \$315.00. February 15, 1917, delivery.

Jailer W. P. Midkiff was allowed the sum of \$372.50 on account of services from June 13th to August 8th.

Cost and claims amounting to \$447.50 in the W. C. Overton, et al., motion for new road were allowed.

W. C. Blankenship, C. O. C. C., was allowed the sum of \$118.16 on account of services to date.

S. O. Keown, Sheriff, was allowed \$298.35, on account of cost and fees due him as said Sheriff.

J. J. Robinson was allowed the sum of \$25.00 on account of paying traveling expenses of George Robinson from Hartford to Sherman, Tex.

The pay roll on account of labor upon the Hartford and Morgantown State aid road for the month of July, amounting to \$1,870.73 was filed, approved and ordered paid.

The court adjourned at noon yesterday to inspect the Hartford and Morgantown road which is being improved under the State aid plan. The court will convene this morning for completion of the present session.

## WYSOX COUPLE MARRY AT THE YEISER HOUSE


Miss Annie E. Vaught and Mr. Thomas C. Taylor, both of Wysox, were quietly married at the Yeiser House yesterday morning. Rev. B. W. Napier performed the ceremony. The young couple left yesterday afternoon for Wysox where they will make their home.

Both the participants in the wedding are of prominent Ohio county families and the news that they have formed a partnership is of much interest.

## H. P. TAYLOR AND W. S. TINSLEY HONORED

H. P. Taylor and W. S. Tinsley, of Hartford, have been appointed from Ohio county to escort President Wilson from Louisville to Hodgenville when he formally receives the Lincoln farm for the United States Government September 4. The visit being in no way political a Democrat and Republican have been selected from each county.

Both Mr. Taylor and Mr. Tinsley have signified their intention of accepting the invitation.



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## LIVES ALONE ON SHORE OF LAKE

CHICAGO GIRL DESERTS CITY WORRIES FOR SAND DUNES AND FORESTS.

### "DIANA" TELLS STORY

Talks of Love for Nature and Does Not Care to Entertain Visitors Just Now.

Oak Hill, Ind., Aug. 5.—Here on the shores of Lake Michigan, in the foothills of high sand dunes, in a wilderness of pine trees and jungle of marshes, miles beyond echo of human voice, I found "Diana of the Dunes," Alice Gray, University of Chicago graduate, who, since last October, has spoken less than a dozen times to human creatures!

Diana of mythology was known to the Romans as the chaste goddess—Diana the huntress. She hated men and went into the wilderness to live in virgin purity.

This "Diana" in the flesh I found hedged from the world by two miles of almost impenetrable sand drifts and boggy marshes. And it was through these drifts and marshes that I traveled—the first woman to penetrate the sanctuary of this modern world Diana, who has just been discovered by fishermen in solitude as deep as the solitude of Alexander Seikirk on his desert isle.

It was dawn when I came upon her retreat in the dunes. The hut was empty, but a bed of green boughs and two sinister revolvers on the foot of the bed was assurance I had found the hermit's hiding place. When a strong, lithe, clear-eyed, smiling young woman, bare legged as a nymph, hair cut boy fashion, face sunken to a deep brown, sprang through the pine scrubs I knew I had found "Diana."

A single garment was her only attire. She brushed through the pines surprise and terror flashing in her eyes.

"Who are you, please?" she demanded. "I must not see strangers. I had hoped nobody would find me here."

It took some time to assure her of my good intentions, and of the public interest in her strange adventure.

Must Remain Mystery. "I am sorry they call me the 'hermit' and the 'mystery woman,'" she said. "We are all mysteries to somebody or other. I must remain a mystery to the public for a time. I came here to the wilderness to seek—well to seek myself."

"I was working in Chicago, making little in the way of money, doing little of importance in the world, it seemed. I had measured myself with the world—the results were not encouraging. I came here to measure myself with nature."

"I found a cave here in the hills spread my blanket, slept under the stars, and communed with myself. I began to live. I have had ten glorious months. I have no worries about work, about the daily grind of living and doing. I am free."

Admits Few Facts. And so the modern-world "Diana"

## HUSBAND SAVED HIS WIFE

Stopped Most Terrible Suffering by Getting Her Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound.

Denison, Texas.—"After my little girl was born two years ago I began suffering with female trouble and could hardly do my work. I was very nervous but just kept dragging on until last summer when I got where I could not do my work. I would have a chill every day and hot flashes and dizzy spells and my head would almost burst. I got where I was almost a walking skeleton and life was a burden to me until one day my husband's step-sister told my husband if he did not do something for me I would not last long and told him to get your medicine. So he got Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound for me, and after taking the first three doses I began to improve. I continued its use, and I have never had any female trouble since. I feel that I owe my life to you and your remedies. They did for me what doctors could not do and I will always praise it wherever I go."—Mrs. G. O. LOWERY, 419 W. Monterey Street, Denison, Texas.

If you are suffering from any form of female ill, get a bottle of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and commence the treatment without delay.

philosophized about life, but her philosophy only draws the veil of mystery more closely about her. These facts, however, she admits.

Her name is Alice Gray. She graduated from University of Chicago in 1903; held a secretaryship in a large publishing house, and it was predicted she would follow a literary career.

One day weariness of the world overtook her. A red Mexican blanket that adorned her college den, a few clothes, and her pay envelope with "just a few dollars in it" were tossed into a grip.

Came to Dunes. She had heard of the Sahara-like sand dunes that drift along the lake shore. To the dunes she came. There was no human habitation in sight. Only the birds gave her welcome. In a dugout she spread her blanket.

"The dugout was too cold," she says "and I found this hut."

"Everything I have here, this chair, this cap I wear, these tins, are driftwood, drifted in from the lake—I, too am driftwood."

"I got snail's cloth from a fisherman and made this thing I wear. I got rid of everything that looked like the city."

Reduces Cost of Living.

"The fishermen who live way up the beach sometimes bring some extra food from town, and I buy it from them. Farmer boys sell me eggs. I have reduced the cost of living to almost nothing—10 cents a day at most."

"Some day I suppose I'll want to go back. But the city can never give me what the wilderness has given me—peace of mind, and the strength of mind to live alone."

### SALVAGING OF THE PRIZE SHIP "WALKURE"

After being seized by the French as a prize and later sunk in the harbor at Papete when that port was bombarded early in the war, the German steamship "Walkure" is again in service, this time registered as the "Republic." This unusual story of ship salvaging is told in the August Popular Mechanics Magazine. Interesting views accompany the article.

It will be remembered that while the Tahitian was being shelled by German cruisers in September, 1914, the defenders opened the "Walkure's" sea cocks in order to prevent its recapture. It rested on the bottom until finally sold to a San Francisco firm, which hid it in for the mere pittance of \$29,000 more than a year later.

The ship was raised without difficulty, hastily overhauled and made water-tight, loaded with cargo consisting partly of copra and ultrate, and taken to San Francisco under its own steam. The profit from the nitrate cargo alone, which was only a third of the whole load, was sufficient to offset the purchase price and salvaging cost of the vessel.

While it was undergoing a hasty but general overhauling by gangs of shipwrights at San Francisco, the owners of the steamer received numerous large offers for its purchase. Owing to the serious shortage of bottoms, shippers were willing to pay almost anything within reason to get it. It was sold for approximately \$1,000,000, nearly all of which represented net profit.

### The Mexican Soldier's Equipment.

The mounted riflemen is the standard of the Mexican army. It may be interesting to know of just what he consists, says the World's Work. In the first place, he bestrides a wiry, Mexican-bred pony, shod in front or not shod at all, and weighing from 700 to 900 pounds, which he manages to keep in fairly good condition. There would be one sore back on the Mexican side to ten on ours. He rides a \$20 stock saddle and throws his sleeping blanket across the cantle. He carries a 30-30 Winchester if he can get it, or a Mauser or some other rifle if he cannot, and he carries all the ammunition he can possibly get his hands on. When it is plentiful he will be adorned with from 200 to 400 rounds of it, wound in belts all around his person and festooned about the pom-pom of his saddle. In addition to this long-range preparedness he is often fortified with a machete and about one-fifth of his command will carry revolvers. Officers carry about the same equipment and arms and rarely encumber themselves with field glasses, maps or compasses. The extreme mobility of these brigades is due to their lack of impediments. They dispense with tents, wagons, field desks and sanitary appliances and, living on the country or from railroad trails, transport little or no forage or rations.

English Judges have held courts in their bedrooms, under the trees at Hampstead and in express trains, while a former Vice Chancellor once granted an injunction while treading water during a morning dip at Barnes.

### THE RAGGEDY MAN

Oh, the raggedy man! He works for pa. An' he's the goodest man ever you saw. He comes to our house every day An' waters the horses an' feeds 'em hay, An' he opens the shed, and we all is laugh When he drives out our little old wabbly calf. An' men—of our hired girl says he can— He milks the cow fer 'Lizabuth Ann. Ain't he a awful good raggedy man? Raggedy! Raggedy! Raggedy man!

W'y the raggedy man—he's 1st so good He splits the kindlin' an' chops the wood, An' nen he spades in our garden, too, An' does most things 'at boys can't do. He clumbed clean up in our big tree An' shooked an apple down fer me— An' nother'n, too, fer the raggedy man.

Ain't he a awful kind raggedy man? Raggedy! Raggedy! Raggedy man!

An' the raggedy man, he knows most rhymes An' tells 'em, ef I be good, sometimes.

Knows 'bout giants an' griffins and elves An' the Squidgicum-Squees, 'at swallows themselves!

An' wite by the pump in our pasture lot He showed me the hole 'nt the Wunks is got.

'At lives 'way deep in the ground an' can Turn into me or 'Lizabuth Ann!

Ain't he a funny old raggedy man? Raggedy! Raggedy! Raggedy man!

The raggedy man—one time when he Was makin' a little how 'n'orry for me— Says, "When you're big like your pa is,

Air you go' to keep a fine store like his An' be a rich merchant an' wear fine clothes.

Er what air you go' to be, goodness knows? An' I say, "'M go' to be raggedy man!

I'm 1st go' to be a nice raggedy man!" Raggedy! Raggedy Raggedy man! —James Whitcomb Riley.

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### Electrical Music Teacher.

A student of electrical engineering at Purdue University has perfected what authorities on music teaching believe to be a complete solution of the difficulties encountered in the practical teaching of motif-wise reading of music. The apparatus described in the Electrical World by means of which the solution has been accomplished is a device for instantaneously flashing note groups on a screen by means of manually operated push buttons and miniature electric lamps. The range of the instrument is an octave and a half. Motifs containing any numbers of notes up to five many be flashed by pressing the lettered push buttons corresponding to the notes desired.

### He Fattens Rattlesnakes.

William R. Hoover forest ranger in Greens Valley, has developed a good business in rattlesnake oil and hides. He captures the reptile alive, and has become quite adept at the nifty occupation. Within the last week or two he has added two large snakes to his collection, and places no more importance to the performance than if he had been rabbit hunting. One of the snakes has ten rattles and the other has eight. The older reptile is about three feet and three inches in length and has an abnormally thick body.

Hoover makes his captures by placing a forked stick over the head of the snake and planing it to the ground. He then forces a wire loop over the head of the reptile, and has it tight. Hoover says that it is a mistaken idea that rattlesnakes will always sound a warning rattle when approached. His late experience with the rattler tribe has proved the old

theory to be untrue, as he has found several snakes which gave no sound when he drew near them.

Hoover feeds the snakes herbs and other natural food, which he takes from the woods, and occasionally gives them a treat in the form of ground moles or mice. He fattens them before killing. Rattlesnake hunting is quite profitable, as both hide and oil command a good price.—Williamsport (Pa.) Dispatch Philadelphia Record.

### ARMY TO USE AMERICAN GUN NOW MADE FOR BRITISH

Throughout the European war an automatic rifle, invented a few years ago by Lieut. Col. I. N. Lewis of the coast artillery corps, has been employed with remarkable success by the British and Belgian land and aerial forces. Chiefly because of this, it is assumed, the War Department at Washington is once more turning its attention to the instrument and this time will in all probability adopt it for the use of our troops.

The piece is of marked simplicity in construction and embodies certain advantageous points not present in other machine guns. One of its outstanding features is that it can be handled in much the same manner as an ordinary field rifle, and when used in this capacity is supplied with a buttstock instead of the spade handle that is employed when the weapon is mounted. It weighs approximately 25 pounds and can fire 440 shots a minute—this including the time spent in changing magazines. There are only 62 parts, and the design is such that the point of a bullet unlocks each portion of the mechanism, entirely obviating the need of special dismantling tools. It is air-cooled, and so effectively that auxiliary barrels are not required even for long-continued firing. The rifle is described, with illustrations, in the August Popular Mechanics Magazine.

### Funston's Offer to Help.

George Marvin in the World's Work tells the following interesting story of Candido Aguilar who is now Secretary of Foreign Relations for the Carranza Government, but was in 1914, when United States troops were occupying Vera Cruz, commander of the Mexican army lying between that port and Mexico City. "In his own name, as 'general' of the Constitutional forces, he several times demanded, two years ago, the immediate retirement of Gen. Funston and his brigade from Vera Cruz. Finally, Aguilar sent his messenger with a note to Funston which ran approximately as follows: 'I am sorry to say that I am no longer able to restrain my troops and I therefore take the liberty of suggesting your immediate withdrawal.'

"Gen. Funston withdraws very poorly. But even though he cannot talk Spanish he speaks the language fluently. He turned the dispatch around and wrote across the face of it: 'My Dear General: If you can't hold your own troops, allow me to help you, because I can. Funston.'

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## FARM DEPARTMENT

### Pigs Injure Each Other.

Injuries inflicted upon each other by pigs while feeding are a source of considerable loss to the animal husbandry department of Kansas University, is the statement of Ray Flintwood, instructor in animal husbandry in the agricultural college.

"The tusks of small pigs are very sharp and while fighting over their food they lacerate each other about the mouth. This would not be so serious if it were not for the 'ball nose' infection in the pens," says Mr. Galewood.

"We attempted to avoid the trouble by pulling the tusks of a number of the pigs, but this does not always keep them free from infection. Bull nose is a fatal disease. Once the hog gets it they may as well be killed."

### Italian Is Best Bee.

The Italian has come to be considered the business bee, and in up-to-date apiaries has superseded the native or black bee. If not convenient to start with Italians, however, colonies of black bees may be readily Italianized by the introduction of Italian queens. White clover and buckwheat furnish the bulk of the honey in this state, though basswood, raspberry, golden-rod, alfalfa and numerous other plants contribute to the season's crop. The amount of time that he can devote to their care and the bee pasture available should largely determine the number of colonies that one should undertake to keep. As in most new projects the amateur will do well to go slowly until experience has demonstrated his qualifications for the work and the suitability of his surroundings.

### How Many Nails Are Needed?

The quantity of nails required for different kinds of work is as follows:

For 1000 shingles, allow 51 pounds four-penny or 43 1/2 pounds for three-penny.

For 1000 laths, 7 pounds three-penny fine or 10 pounds for 100 square yards.

For 1000 square feet beveled siding, 18 pounds six-penny.

For 1000 square feet sheathing, 20 pounds eight-penny or 25 ten-penny.

For 1000 square feet flooring, 30 pounds eight-penny or 40 ten-penny and 5 pounds twenty-penny.

For 1000 square feet studding, 15 pounds ten-penny and 5 pounds twenty-penny.

For 1000 square feet 1-inch by 2 1/2-inch furring 12-inch centers, 9 pounds eight-penny or 14 pounds ten-penny.

For 1000 square feet 1-inch by 2 1/2-inch furring 16-inch centers, 7 pounds eight-penny or 10 pounds ten-penny.

### Turn Sheep in Corn Field.

This is the time of the year when the man with the small farm flock can begin to use the lambs to harvest the weeds and grass in the corn field. Early lambs should be turned in July and the corn field makes a convenient place to turn them. Some care must be exercised in getting them used to the new feed, and it would be better to turn them in only an hour or so at a time

at first, lengthening the time until there is no further danger.

A farmer having a small flock stated last summer that his corn fields that season were the wonder of passers-by. They could not understand how he had kept his corn so clean in so wet a year. His lambs did the work, and they not only kept the fields clean of grass and weeds, but made some splendid gains.

One should not get the idea that sheep are never to be fed anything but weeds. If they are considered only as scavengers they probably will not be as successfully kept as if they are given a fair chance with other farm animals. No other animals, however, will eat so many different kinds of weeds, and lambs are the only animals that can be turned into a corn field without doing damage to the crop. Lambs can also be used to harvest the waste in stubble fields and along roadsides.

There is no more convenient source of fresh meat on the farm in the summer season than the lamb. They furnish two crops—both wool and meat. Some think sheep are subject to numerous diseases, but packing houses statistics show that the percentage of sheep condemned is less than that of any other business. Thirty or forty ewes can easily be kept on the average farm without having to reduce the other stock.

### Hogs As Money Makers.

There are not nearly enough hogs raised in the territory outside of the corn belt. There is a mistaken idea that hog raising cannot give profitable return in the other sections of the country, though it has been proven that pork can be made as cheaply in the South as anywhere in the world. In fact, corn, when used as an exclusive grain feed, does not give satisfaction in product and is not generally profitable. In its wild state the hog is omnivorous, which means simply all-devouring. He feeds upon roots, nuts, fish, grass, grain, fruit, snakes and most of the weeds. When we shut our hogs up in a pen and give them but one feed, we have cut them off from their normal tendency to select from a variety of substances suited to their needs.

Any locality where clover can be grown, or alfalfa, peas, beans, or barley, or wheat, oats, rye, or corn, will be favorable for successful pork production. Add the dairy by-products and you can have the highest grade of pork at the minimum cost. In fact, we of the South, with our leguminous pastures, our mild climate and long outdoor life, should grow the pork of the country. The expense of shelter and winter feeding lessens here, and we have generally an abundance of water.

In Denmark they know, as we do not yet seem to know, the great value of barley in making prime pork. Danish bacon is greatly sought after in the English markets. It is mainly a product of barley and dairy by-products. Wherever barley can be cheaply grown in the United States and fed with the legumes—cowpeas, velvet beans, peanuts, etc.—then should farmers supply the demand for a share in the pork export trade. Of course, it is well to feed corn or other concentrated feed in addition to this roughage.

When hogs are turned into a standing field of mature or nearly mature grain, such as wheat, barley, peas, or corn, and are allowed to feed there at will until the crop is consumed,

the process is called "hogging off" or "hogging down" the crop. This may seem a wasteful practice, but where there is good management it is just the reverse. It saves the cost of harvesting the crop, which goes to market on the hogs' legs instead of being first cut, then cured, then stacked, then hauled. By this method the labor of caring for the hogs is also reduced, since "hogging off" is practiced during the busiest season of the year and at a time when it is desirable that little attention be given hogs. Turned into a mature field and provided with shade, water and salt, the hogs require very little other attention. Other advantages to be found in "hogging off" are that vegetable matter is increased in the soil; manure is pretty evenly distributed, and the hogs get exercise. It pays never to allow hogs to cease growing.—Home and Farm.

### WAVE STARS AND STRIPES.

Wave stars and stripes, wave wide to-night!  
And show to a war-cursed world,  
Thy soul all white, as pure as light,  
The emblem of peace unfurled.

Wave stars and stripes, wave wide tonight!  
Thy light to the nations give;  
That they may see the way of right,  
And look on thee and live.

Wave stars and stripes, wave wide to-night!  
Let thy motto be for peace;  
That men may loathe the way of might;  
That war and strife may cease.

But stars and stripes, wave wide to-night!  
To shield thine own from harm;  
From errors chafes, from folly's blight,  
From the oppressors' heavy arm.

Wave stars and stripes, wave wide to-night!  
Bid American manhood rise  
To defend its flag, its home, its rights,  
When honor is trampled, when justice cries.

Wave stars and stripes, wave wide to-night!  
We're proud of thee as of old;  
When thy glory was won by a bloody fight,  
So hide not thy stars within thy folds.

Wave stars and stripes, wave wide to-night!  
No shame shall come on thee.  
We'll protect thy right, with all our might  
On the land and on the sea.

Wave stars and stripes, wave wide to-night!  
Though we hear the battle cry,  
Unfold thy red, thy blue, thy white,  
And flit with the winds on high.

Wave stars and stripes, wave wide to-night!  
While the moon gives forth her light,  
That we may view thee with enraptured sight  
Wave stars and stripes, wave wide to-night!  
—By R. E. Barret.

### Should Sloan's Liniment Go Along?

Of course it should! For after a strenuous day when your muscles have been exercised to the limit an application of Sloan's Liniment will take the soreness and stiffness away and get you in fine shape for the morrow. You should also use it for a sudden attack of toothache, stiff neck, backache, stings, bites and the many accidents that are incidental to a vacation. "We would as soon leave our baggage as to go on a vacation or camp without Sloan's Liniment." Writes one vacationist: "We use it for everything from cramps to toothache." Put a bottle in your bag, be prepared and have no regrets.

### Sorry She Spoke.

Two girl friends met in the street and stopped to shake hands. "So glad to see you, Grace," said the tailor-made Alice. "Was just on my way to ask you, as my oldest friend, to be one of my bridesmaids." "Bridesmaids! How lovely! I did not know you were engaged," replied Grace. "It's sudden—very sudden; but he's awfully in love, and is just too lovely to live. Will you act?" "Act? Of course. I'll be charmed. But," moving forward and speaking in an undertone, "do come around the corner and tell me all about it. Here comes that idiotic, irrepressible donkey, Jim Berton. He's grinning as though he meant to stop, and I don't care to be seen talking to him." "Jim Berton! He's the man I'm going to marry!"

**Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA**

### MOOSE PARTY DEAD, SAYS ROBINS, NOW FOR HUGHES

Chicago, Aug. 5.—Raymond Robins, chairman of the Progressive National Convention and candidate of the Illinois Progressives for United States Senator in 1914, announced to-day that he would support Charles Evans Hughes, Republican nominee for President; declared that it was "manifest" that the Progressive party was dead, and asserted that "wise and sincere Progressives" should join with the Republicans in the "common struggle for social and industrial justice in the city, State and nation."

In the statement, which was addressed to the Progressives of the country, Mr. Robins said:

"We Progressives stand at the cross-roads. American social, industrial and political life has broken down under the old individualistic control. A new national mind and conscience, developing social unity, industrial standardization, efficient political honesty; from self-controlled democracy—this is the goal of our generation in American life."

"I believe in the character and courage of the nominee of the Republican party. He is the most conspicuous example in our history of the possibilities that American politics may hold for success in able and unselfish public service. For myself I gladly enlist with the great majority of Progressives of the nation under the leadership of Charles Evans Hughes."

### Why He Was Out.

In the course of a cricket match the other Saturday afternoon a rather amusing incident was witnessed.

One of the batsmen skied a ball between the wickets. Two of the fielders ran in to take the catch, when the batsman lost his head.

Leaving his creases, he ran forward, swung his bat, and, at the risk of cracking a couple of heads, made a furious slash at the descending ball.

"How's that, umpire?" was the confident appeal of the fielding side. "Out," was the reply.

"What am I out for?" demanded the batsman.

"Well," responded the umpire, gravely, "you're out firstly for obstructing the field; secondly, for hitting the ball twice, and, thirdly, for making a conspicuous hash of yourself.—London Tit-Bits.

### Look Good—Feel Good.

No one can either feel good nor look good while suffering from constipation. Get rid of that tired, draggy, lifeless feeling by a treatment of Dr. King's New Life Pills. Buy a box today, take one or two pills to-night. In the morning that stuffed, dull feeling is gone and you feel better at once. 25c at your druggist.

### The Amazons of Mexico.

With the new Mexican army, and being made part of it as rapidly as the stubborn Carranza can bring them in, are 20,000 women, who have offered their services to their nation, not as nurses, not as home guards, but as fighters in the battle front, side by side with their men, the women of the upper classes with her husband, the pelada, who cannot afford marriage, with the unwed father of her children.

If you think these women will not fight, read back to the battles of the Spaniards and the women of Tehuantepec; come still farther this way and view our own Indian wars of less than half a century ago. If you are still in doubt, find some man who has served his four years in the Philippines. He knows.—Harry H. Dunn, in Cartoons Magazine.

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### The Best Laxative.

To keep the bowels regular the best laxative is outdoor exercise. Drink a full glass of water half an hour before breakfast and eat an abundance of fruit and vegetables, also establish a regular habit and be sure that your bowels move once each day. When a medicine is needed take Chamberlain's Tablets. They are pleasant to take and mild and gentle in effect. Obtainable everywhere.

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a trial. I still use Cardui when I feel a little bad, and it always does me good."

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## OHIO COUNTY COURT TRIALS IN YEAR 1808

### NEGRO SLAVE TRIED, ASSESSED 39 LASHES UPON HIS BARE BACK.

At a court called and held at the court house in Hartford, on Monday, the 2nd day of May, 1808, for the examination of Harry (a negro man, the property of Jesse Cravens, Sr.) on a charge of felony. Thomas Moseley, Anthony Thompson, James Baird, Sr., Esquires present.

By request of parties ordered that Joshua Crowe be, and he is hereby assigned as counsel for the prisoner. Charles Henderson having taken the oath prescribed by law is appointed Commonwealth's Attorney to prosecute in the present case.

Ordered that court adjourn till 8 of the clock to-morrow morning.

THOMAS MOSELEY, J. P.

Court met agreeable to adjournment on yesterday, Thomas Moseley, Anthony Thompson, James Baird, Sr., Esquires present. By request of parties. The said negro man, Harry, the property of Jesse Cravens, Sr., being led to the bar in the custody of the Sheriff and he being demanded of him whether he was guilty in manner and form as in the charges is alleged against him said that he is in no wise guilty thereof, and for his trial put forth himself upon his country and the Attorney on behalf of the Commonwealth doth the like, and thereupon came the jurors of the jury to-wit: Richard Taylor, Charles Trilton, Mathias Shmits, Philip Fulkerson, Sr., Henry Cooper, Gleason Davis, Joseph Barnes, David Miller, James Harsha, Solomon Davis, Thomas Pinder and Mathias Adams, who being chosen, tried and sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak, do say upon their oaths that he is not guilty in manner and form as in the charge is alleged against him; whereupon it is considered by the court that the said negro man, Harry, be acquitted of the felony aforesaid and that he go thereof without delay.

Whereupon the said prisoner being again led to the bar in custody of the Sheriff and being charged before the Justices aforesaid, with willfully and maliciously making an assault in and upon one Jeremiah Cravens then and there being, and with a certain deadly weapon called a knife of the value of twenty cents, which the said Harry then and there had held in his right hand and then, and there willfully, maliciously and feloniously cut and stabbed the said Jeremiah in and upon his left breast, the prisoner being sent to the bar and it being demanded of him whether he is guilty of the felony aforesaid or not, saith that he is not guilty; whereupon came the jurors of the jury, to-wit: (The jury was same as in above case), who being chosen, tried and sworn the truth of and upon the premises to speak, do say upon their oaths that he is guilty in manner and form as in the charge is alleged against him, and assess that he receive on his bare back 39 lashes. It is therefore considered by the court that the prisoner be carried to the public whipping post of this county and receive upon his bare back 39 lashes well laid on and that the Sheriff of this county cause execution of this sentence to be inflicted immediately.

THOMAS MOSELEY, J. P.

Note.—The foregoing is an exact copy of the order as entered on the day and date set out.

### BEADS ODDLY STRUNG. (By J. H. Thomas.)

Merelless nature! The extreme heat that is forcing an abundant food crop takes at the same time a large toll of human lives.

Let us hope that the farcical primary will soon pass into the discard of populism.

A short story writer digs deep into the ribs of the President by referring to "our once proud, but now somewhat shin-kicked country."

Sambo is coming into his own. The watermelon season is here.

With the mercury gyrating around the hundred mark we feel like paraphrasing Sancho Panza with "God bless the man who invented shade."

Why is the defunct Progressive party like a cow snuko? Because after its head was cut off its tail still wiggles.

Much as we love the Emerald Isle, beneath whose sod sleep a dozen generations of our ancestors, we see in Roger Casement's execution a stern British necessity.

A popular Louisville minister has resigned his pastorate to found a new church more closely conforming

to the Bible. A sort of theological progressive movement to combat the standpatters.

With Wall street letting two to one on Hughes it will be slow work for the Democrats to pump courage into the boys in the trenches.

In two years Europe cast fifty-five billions of dollars into the whirlpool of war. Because of this awful waste poverty will pinch its inhabitants a general pence.

While the most of us act the fool for nothing Charlie Chaplin is paid six hundred thousand dollars a year for doing it for the movies.

A curse greater than the loss of millions of lives and billions of wealth will attend the closed war in Europe. It is the bitter hate of man against man and nation against nation that will want generations to heal.

If the four hundred thousand railway trainmen go on strike the few of us who do not own automobiles will just have to hook old hook to the buggy.

Judging by their cuts in the newspapers the advantage for firmness, courage and purpose is all in the favor of Hughes.

The fine ability, high character and wide acquaintance of John Haswell insured his nomination, but Tom Spurrer made a game fight and many friends, and will be heard from again.

General Hughes is opening a vigorous offensive on the Western front this week.

Paradoxical journalism. Democratic newspapers attempt to discredit Hughes with the charge that the Germans are all for him and when they discover some lone Teuton for Wilson herald the discovery in box car headlines.

One who writes must also watch. A one stick notice in the Owensboro Messenger under heading of "Lighted cigarette is cause of blaze" says it "created considerable excitement" and that it "caused but little excitement."

The Democratic Louisville Post says the pardon record of Governor Stanley is the most shameful in the history of the State. The Post accuses Stanley of special partiality to criminals whose crimes were committed in saloons or while the offenders were under the influence of liquor. The Post knows that whisky money nominated and elected Stanley and should not censure him for standing by his benefactors.

### LIEUT. MCGIBNEY PROVES BEST DRAWING CARD

The Community Welfare Chautauqua Company closed a three day engagement here Wednesday evening. The entertainment, as an average, were considerably enjoyed. The lecture of Lieut. McGibney on the European War Tuesday night proved to be the best drawing card. The Lieutenant's experiences were very interesting and so long as he dwelt on the situation in Europe his audience was highly pleased. The musical numbers were good, especially the Dixons who performed Wednesday evening. They were repeatedly encored by their audience. The paid admissions fell below the guarantee and those backing the venture were forced to "put up." No arrangements have been made for a chautauqua here next year and it is likely that none will be given.

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Tragic Applause.  
Two friends, juniors at Brown, were attending a French play one evening when the leading man suddenly appeared before the curtain and made a few brief remarks.

"Why did you applaud him so vigorously when he made his speech?" inquired the tall young man of his friend.

"So that folks would think that I understood French," replied the other, confidentially. "What did he say?"

"He said the remainder of his part must be taken by an under-study, as his father was dying."—Boston Herald.

Corn Crop Needs Rain.  
Unless Ohio county is visited with a good rain within the next few days the corn crop will be greatly damaged. Reports from Dundee say that good showers have fallen in that section.

## DEPORTED ARMENIANS EAT GRASS FOR FOOD

### DOWN-TRODDEN PEOPLE ARE FORCED TO DEVOUR DEAD ANIMALS.

Boston, Aug. 7.—Details of a desperate condition of deported Armenians in the deserts of Northern Arabia and the Lower Euphrates Valley are contained in a cable dispatch made public by the American Committee for Armenia and Syria Relief to-night. The committee, says the dispatch, was received thru "high diplomatic authority in Turkey, not American, reporting the testimony of trustworthy witnesses over wide areas" in the regions mentioned.

According to the dispatch these witnesses have seen famished Armenians "eating grass, herbs and locusts; and, in desperate cases, animals found dead and human bodies are reported to have been eaten."

### Thousands Deported.

The dispatch continues "The witnesses have seen thousands of deported Armenians under tents in the open, in caravans on the march, descending the river in boats and in all phases of their miserable life. Only in few instances does the government issue any rations, and those quite insufficient. The people, therefore, themselves are forced to satisfy their hunger with food begged that scanty land or found in the parched fields.

"Naturally, the death rate from starvation and sickness is very high and increased by the brutal treatment of the authorities whose bearing toward the exiles as they are being driven back and forth over the desert is not unlike that of slave drivers. With few exceptions, no shelter of any kind is provided and the people coming from a cold climate are left under the scorching desert sun without food and water.

### Officers Are Paid.

"Temporary relief can only be obtained by the few able to pay officials. The misery and hopelessness of the situation are such that many are reported to resort to suicide. In illustrating the methods employed, report is made of the gathering of a group of 100 children whom they placed in care of an educated young widow from—

"Two weeks later these children were deported and from two survivors found further down the caravan route it was learned that the rest had perished. The house mother, crazed by this treatment of her charges, was among the deported who were moving on. Bostloads sent from—, down the river, arrive at—, miles away with three-fifths of the passengers missing."

### Beaver Dam Defends Cromwell.

Beaver Dam, Ky., Aug. 10.—The Beaver Dam base ball team defeated the Cromwell also at Cromwell Saturday by the score of 11 to 5. The Apple Knockers could not handle Thorpe's shoots while the delivery of Stevens, Cromwell's star pitcher, was pounded hard. The game was slow and devoid of features. Score by innings:  
Innings . . . . . 1 2 3 4 5 6 7—R.  
Beaver Dam . . . . . 2 0 2 2 3 0—11  
Cromwell . . . . . 0 0 0 2 2 0—5  
Batteries—Thorpe and Pirtle; Stevens and Hampton.  
Umpires—Taylor and Patterson.

### BEAVER DAM DEPARTMENT.

AUG. 8.—Miss Anna Barnes entertained with a theater party Thursday evening in honor of her visitors. Those making up the party were Misses Flora Lee Birkhead, Madge Porter, Lella Glenn, Nancy Ford and Ella McKenney; Messrs. Wayland Barnes, Warren Porter, R. H. Shelley, A. V. Garriott, Frank and Marshall Barnes.

Miss Ruby Martin, of Oklahoma, is visiting friends and relatives in this city.

Misses Edith Owen, of Louisville, and Januita Burke, of Grayson Springs, are the guests of Misses Edith and Eula Mulhall this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Taylor entertained at cards Tuesday evening in honor of their visitor, Miss Verna Whitely, of Owensboro. Those present were: Misses Verna Whitely, Madge Porter, Anna Barnes and Ella McKenney; Messrs. Lyman Taylor, Frank Barnes, Everett Likens and Parke Taylor, and Mr. and Mrs. Porter Barnes. After the games delightful refreshments were served.

Miss Anna Barnes accompanied by her brothers, Messrs. Frank and Marshall Barnes, will leave Tuesday for an extended trip through the north and east, including Niagara Falls, Montreal, Canada, Buffalo, New York City, Baltimore, Washington and other noted places of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Sanderson will arrive Sunday for a short visit with Mrs. Sanderson's uncle, Dr. W. T. McKenney, and family.

Miss Mary Tyler Cook is visiting relatives and friends in Whitesville

this month. Miss Geneva Taylor joined her there for last week-end and both were pleasantly entertained.

Mrs. Minerva Taylor and son, Roy, and Mr. Z. Taylor, of Bowling Green, motored to this city last Saturday for a short visit with Mrs. Taylor's son, Mr. O. H. Taylor, and Mrs. Taylor.

The citizens of this town were surprised to hear of the death of Mr. Alfred Hurt at his home Monday night. The burial took place at Sunnyside cemetery Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Anna Barnes entertained Friday evening with a lawn party for her visitors, Miss Flora Lee Birkhead, of Owensboro, and Madge Porter, of Louisville, and Mr. Warren Porter, of Louisville. Delightful punch and cake were served during the evening to the following guests: Misses Madge Porter, Flora Lee Birkhead, Lella Glenn, Nancy Ford, Katie Pendleton, Myrl Miller, Eula Mulhall, Edith Porter, Edna Williams, Ione Taylor, Myrn Flener, Altha Williams, Angelina Maddox, Martine Taylor, Bess Itenfrow, Elizabeth Moore, Addie Taylor, Mary Stewart, Grace Williams, Ella McKenney; Messrs. Warren Porter, Earl Barnett, Melborell Fogle, A. D. Kirk, Allison Barnett, Cecil Felix, Glenn Barnes, Lee Robertson, Glenn Tinsley, James Glenn, Parke Taylor, Eury Hayden, Edgar Barnard, Clifford Maddox, Everett Likens, Hamill King, Charlie Greenwell, Archie Davis, C. C. Watts, R. H. Shelley, A. V. Garriott, Wayland Barnes, Martin Crowder, Earl Chick, Carl Miller, Hillard Doss, Frank and Marshall Barnes, Horace Miller, Lyman Taylor and Hayward Pirtle.

### CENTRAL GROVE.

AUG. 8.—Bro. M. G. Snell preached at the Baptist church at this place Sunday at 11 a. m. Text: "Love not in word and in tongue, but in deed and in truth."

There was a large attendance at Sunday School Sunday, being 100 scholars present.

Miss Mattie Tichenor, of Nashville, Tenn., visited her mother, Mrs. Mag Tichenor, last week.

Miss Fannie Fisher, of McHenry, was the guest of Miss Mayme Shoulters Sunday.

Miss Gladys Everly, of Rockport, spent last week with Miss Myrtle Park, here.

Mrs. D. S. Rhoads and daughter, Miss Audrey, of Beaver Dam, visited Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Igleheart last week.

Mrs. ——— Ashby, of West Providence, returned home Sunday, after a visit to her daughter, Mrs. Thos. Fulkerson, of this place.

Mrs. George Brunton and little daughter, Ada Marjorie, of Beaver Dam, visited Mrs. Brunton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Park, last week.

Mrs. Bettie Fulkerson and daughter, Miss Lois, of Paducah, are visiting Mrs. Amanda Rowe and other relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Brown, of Illinois; Mr. Will Brown and family, of Matanzas, visited their brother, Mr. P. M. Brown and family, of Elmwood neighborhood near here, last week.

Mr. Vernon Bishop, formerly of this place, but now located as agent for the Florida East Coast Railway Co., at Enterprise, Florida, visited friends and relatives here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Rowe have returned to their home in Kenosha, Wisconsin, after a visit to relatives here. They were accompanied as far as Owensboro by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Rowe, of this place.

Mr. Hilley Coleman, of Texas, visited the family of Mr. L. J. Igleheart, last week.

Mrs. Louis Brown, of this place, is suffering from neuralgia of the head. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Rowe went to Centertown Wednesday last week to see their niece, little Miss Myrl Hefflin, who is ill.

Master William Corliss Stewart fell on a piece of glass recently and cut his arm considerably, but is getting along well at present.

### Gravel in Place of Stone.

Owensboro, Ky., Aug. 8.—J. W. Spurrer, county road engineer, has returned from Frankfort, where he was in conference with the heads of the roads department, in an effort to have that department approve plans and specifications for the use of river gravel in the construction of roads in this county. The State Department had heretofore been insisting that the roads in the county should be built with stone, but the local engineer finally induced the department to permit the use of gravel, which has been found to be more serviceable and more easily acquired for the roads in this county.

### B. Y. P. U. Institute.

Mr. N. T. Barnes, of Louisville, State Secretary of the B. Y. P. U., will conduct an institute at Centertown, beginning next Sunday night and continuing over Monday and Tuesday nights. Rev. J. J. Willet, local pastor, will be present and assist. Everybody invited to attend.

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## LATEST WAR NEWS

### Monday.

Western Front.—Desperate engagements continue in the Verdun region, notably in the vicinity of the Thiaumont Work. On the Somme the battle near Pozieres is still in progress. Slight advances for the British at High Wood and east of Pozieres, on the Somme front, and by the French southwest of Estrees, south of the Somme, and to the northwest of the Thiaumont Work near Verdun are recorded in the British and French communications.

### Eastern Front.—Russian attacks

along the Sereth and Graberka rivers, south of Brody, in Northern Galicia, broke the Teutonic resistance and resulted in the capture by the Russians of six villages and the entire ridge along which they are located, according to a War Office announcement today. More than 5,500 prisoners were taken.

The 14,000 Turkish troops operating on a seven-mile front from the East against the Suez Canal have met with defeat at the hands of the British and have been forced to flee, leaving more than 2,500 prisoners behind them.

### England.—The strong Turkish

force which attacked the British at Romnia, 22 miles east of the Suez Canal, was defeated and put to flight by a counter attack, says an official statement issued in London. The Turks, adds the statement, are being vigorously pursued by the British, who have taken more than 2,500 prisoners, including some Germans.

### Tuesday.

Western Front.—French troops charged a line of German trenches between Hemwood and the Somme, according to the official statement issued by the Paris War Office. They also made some progress south of the Thiaumont work. Determined attacks on the British lines north and northeast of Pozieres this morning were repulsed, according to the British official statement. The Germans succeeded in entering the Brit-

ish lines at one or two places, but were driven out.

### Wednesday.

Galicia.—The Russians, in their advance against the Austro-Germans in East Galicia, have taken territory aggregating sixty-one square miles, according to the Russian official communication. In pursuit of the Teutons, the Russians have taken additional villages in the Dulcester region.

Western Front.—Notable gains have been made by the French in the Somme battle. In two days they have carried German trenches along a front of more than three and a half miles, to a depth of from 300 to 500 meters. In the Verdun sector they have succeeded in regaining a foothold in the Thiaumont work. The British also have pushed their lines about 400 yards forward.

Austria.—The Rome War Office announced the capture of the Gorizia bridgehead by the Italians. It is said the city is being shelled to drive out the Austrians. More than 8,000 prisoners were taken on August 6.

### Thursday.

Austria.—The Italians have captured the city of Gorizia, twenty-two miles from Trieste, together with more than 10,000 prisoners and quantities of war material. The Austrians were completely routed, according to Rome, and heavy losses were inflicted on defenders of the town.

Western Front.—North of the Somme River in France the Australians have pushed back the Germans near Pozieres 200 yards over a front of 600 yards, while the French have driven out the Germans from a trench recently captured from them.

Galicia.—The Russian General, Letchitzky, has driven his wedge further into the Austro-German line near Stanislaw, capturing eight miles east of that city the town of Tysmienitsa.

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